

# HEAVY RAIN STORM SWEEPS STATE

## Xenian Reported Missing; Launch Search

### BOOKKEEPER WALKS FROM OFFICE WHILE STORM SWEEPS CITY

Will Employ Radio In Search--Missing Man Took Auto

Police are searching for Clarence Stephenson, 40, Fairground Road, head bookkeeper for The Eavey Co., wholesale grocers, Detroit and Third Sts., missing for the last twenty-four hours.

Stephenson walked out of the company's office at 1:30 p. m. Tuesday when a severe rain and electrical storm was at its height and has not been seen since.

His absence was first noticed by his wife who missed him when he failed to return at the regular hour for the evening meal. Hurred inquiries were without success and she notified police.

His Dodge touring car also missing. He drove to work in the machine and the supposition is that, affected in some way mentally by the storm, he walked from the office, entered his car and drove away.

Police were having cards bearing his description and that of his auto printed Wednesday to send to nearby cities in an effort to broaden the scope of search. It is probable his description may also be broadcast from a Cincinnati radio station.

Stephenson, it is learned, was a man of good habits, having a reserved, quiet nature, never had trouble and was considered a valued employee. He has been connected with Eavey Co. for the past three or four years, coming to Xenia from Indiana.

W. R. Harner, official of the company, is taking an active part in the search. Working on the assumption Stephenson had possibly returned to the home of his mother in Portland, Ind., Mr. Harner communicated with his mother but learned her son had not gone there.

Stephenson is described as being of medium height, weighing about 148 pounds, with dark hair and eyes. When last seen he wore a dark blue suit with a fine white pin stripe, gray felt hat and tan shoes.

The Dodge touring car also missing bears license number 161, 061 and engine number 963,033. It is a 1923 model. His books showed no discrepancies.

### BOARD TURNS DOWN SUPERVISION PLEA

Consideration of the employment of an assistant county school superintendent was given by Greene County Board of Education members, Tuesday, among the important matters brought up at the meeting in offices of Superintendent H. C. Aultman.

C. E. Bone, representing Xenia Twp. Board of Education, made the request that the supervision, which has been in charge of the assistant county superintendent, be continued as before.

After lengthy conference with Mr. Bone a motion prevailed by unanimous vote, that the present county superintendent, Mr. Aultman, be instructed to give such time to supervision in Xenia Twp., as may be deemed necessary and advisable by the county board and to any other township requesting such supervision. Should the demand for supervision in the several remaining townships be such as to require an assistant county superintendent, the board will then make provision. Otherwise they will not, it was decided.

It will be recalled that all townships now, except Xenia Twp. and Silvercreek Twp. have their own local superintendent and the matter will no doubt be deferred until a majority of these should ask for an extra superintendent, since the salary for the same must be levied on all townships alike.

### CANDIDATE BUSY

COLUMBUS, O., July 7.—Miss Florence E. Allen, Cleveland, associate justice of the Ohio Supreme Court, is going to be kept busy during the five weeks remaining before the primary election, in her campaign for the Democratic nomination for U. S. Senator.

Miss Allen already has fifteen speaking engagements for this month.

SEEK RE-ELECTION  
COLUMBUS, July 7.—Thirteen of the thirty-five members of the present Ohio Senate are not seeking re-election, according to the roster of candidates prepared by the Senate Clerk. Those retiring voluntarily include eleven Republicans and two Democrats who comprised the minority delegation.

## CHILD DROWNS IN CISTERN

Mussolini and King Study Farm Problems



Premier Mussolini (centre) and King Victor Emanuel (right) visited Italian farmers to keep in touch with agricultural conditions.

### ARRESTS RESULT IN DISCOVERY OF LOST GIRLS IN CHICAGO

Fake Beauty Contest Agency Unearthed By Police

CHICAGO, July 7.—Three white men and two negroes now are accused in statements of thirty-seven white girls and young women who were lured to a hotel by a beauty contest advertisement. In the course of preparation for their work the girls learned it was required that they be examined by the two negroes as to their physical fitness. Authorities believe they have struck a trail in the search for many girls reported missing in recent months.

More than 300 names of girls with addresses and telephone numbers, were found when the room at the hotel was raided. Detectives found several photographs of girls who had posed for the negroes, Harris Holmes, 39 years old and Walter Crawford, 24.

The white men booked by police are Vernon Omdell, 27, draftsman, who says he sought a "side line" with money in it; Joe H. Williams, 25, street car conductor, whose contributions to the enterprise, it is alleged, entitled him to its Presidency, and a man named Briggs, who has not been apprehended. Omdell says Williams and Briggs came to him, according to police, and collected \$47 toward the success of the Admiration Products Company adventure, with beauty contests as a side issue. He was made manager, it is said, while Williams, who contributed \$60 was made President.

Two girls who went to the hotel in answer to the advertisement said they were first required to pay \$3 for dancing lessons. When they declined drinks they were loaded into a car, taken to a point near their homes and put out. Their parents then notified police and the raid followed.

### MISSING MAN FOUND HANGED IN DRESS

CHICAGO, July 7.—The body of George Dauphin, 51 years old, married, who had been missing for three weeks, was found today hanging in the carpenter shop of his brother. The shop had not been visited during that time, because the brother had no work there, odor causing the finding today.

A mysterious angle of the hanging is that Dauphin's body was dressed in woman's clothing, even to wig, suede shoes and form reducing appliances. Due to the long time between death and finding the body was almost unrecognizable. Authorities are investigating on the theory that it may be a case of murder instead of self-destruction. The brothers and widow are unable to give any explanation of the mysterious death and the grotesque garb.

### ROBBERS BIND MEN AND BLOW UP SAFE

PERTH AMBOY, N. Y., July 7.—Ten robbers this morning invaded the plant of Castle Ice Cream Company on the outskirts of the town and overpowered the six employees on duty.

The men were bound and placed in a rear room, while the robbers blew open the office safe. Between \$20,000 and \$30,000 was taken. The robbers escaped. Later on one of the victims managed to loosen his bonds and notify police.

### TELEPHONE LINES SUFFER WHEN SEVERE STORM STRIKES XENIA

Service Interrupted When Lightning Burns Out Cable—Toll Lines Cut Off—Darkness Accompanies Rain

For thirty minutes Xenia and vicinity experienced probably the most severe electrical and rain storm of the season Tuesday afternoon, although slight damage was reported. Darkness of night prevailed with accompanying racing north wind and swirling rain which sank the temperature tumbling nearly twenty degrees in half an hour.

When the storm had subsided it was found the Ohio Bell Telephone Co. had suffered the heaviest damage. According to H. W. Cleaver, commercial manager, telephone lines were the greatest sufferers.

Long distance service from

### PRESIDENT HAPPY ON VACATION TRIP

ABOARD PRESIDENT'S TRAIN EN ROUTE TO SUMMER WHITE HOUSE, July 7.—Speeding on the way to White Pine in the Adirondacks, the executive party is expected to arrive at Gabriele, N. Y., today whence it will continue by motor.

A brand new observation car, the latest in railway transportation, carries the President and Mrs. Coolidge. It is provided with four sleeping compartments and fitted with every possible comfort. Other cars of the speeding train carry the regular complement of attaches and servants. A severe thunderstorm beat on the train as it sped through southern Pennsylvania last night, but the President was in high spirits, breaking his usual reserve to chat at dinner—which he seldom does—and later watching a motion picture in the presidential car.

### SUBWAY STRIKERS ENLIST L WORKS

NEW YORK, July 7.—The second day of New York's subway strike opened with strikers announcing that elevated railway employees, joining their ranks, would leave their trains today and the Interborough Rapid Transit Company simultaneously proclaiming a "war to the finish."

The public meanwhile joined in another unhappy scramble to work, getting down town by roundabout ways or on the I. R. T. services which the company said were functioning at 60 per cent normal. Six hundred and twenty men have qualified for the posts left vacant by striking motormen and switchmen and the company is training 175 more non-union men, 125 of whom arrived from western cities last night.

### BROOKSIDE PARK ZOO IS GIVEN OWL

CLEVELAND, O., July 7.—Brookside Park Zoo was presented with an unusual owl. Paul Whipple, of Conneaut, calls him "One-Round Who."

Paul captured him as One-Round was making off with the remains of a pampered pussy. It was a bitter battle. The owl conquered the cat, and had Whipple on the ropes. Whipple nearly lost three fingers and a knee cap when he seized old One-Round after the fight.

### BLAME ALLIGATOR FOR SENSATION

ATHENS, O., July 7.—When a three foot alligator ran across the road in front of a local motorist a mild sensation resulted.

A search has not uncovered the reptile, but it is known that two years ago a baby gator escaped from a local home.

### BEER FLOWS HERE

LOGAN, O., July 7.—The hill-sides about Jobs, a mining camp near here, literally ran with foaming beer after a visit of Sheriff W. P. Shaw and a posse. The officers found 800 quarts of beer in old coal mines and also located buried jugs of whiskey.

### PANIC CAUSED

BOSTON, July 7.—Between 400 and 500 persons in a motion picture theater here were thrown into a panic today when a huge slab of plastering fell from the ceiling into the orchestra pit. More than a score of women fainted in the stampede for the doors. Others were jostled and bruised.

### EATS FIREWORKS

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., July 7.—Earl Smith, two years old, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harley Smith, of Indianapolis died today after eating fireworks Monday. The fireworks was of the type known as "spit devils" said to contain phosphorus. Dr. Paul F. Robinson, county coroner said this type of explosive is illegal and that he would begin an investigation.

### WATCHMAN KILLED

DAYTON, O., July 7.—Patrick Maloney, crossing watchman, was killed when he stepped into the path of a Baltimore and Ohio switch engine here.

### FIRE LOSS \$20,000

POSTORIA, O., July 7.—The Strouse Pipe and Machinery Co. was destroyed by fire late yesterday with an estimated loss of \$20,000.

### CUPID WAS BUSY

NEW LEXINGTON, O., July 7.—"Old Dan" Cupid, has been busy here during the month of June. A total of twenty-two marriage licenses were issued as compared with fourteen last year.

### SEARCH FOR KITTEN LEADS YOUTH UNDER PORCH OF DWELLING

Young Son Of R. O. T. C. Head At Wilberforce Is Victim

Hilliard Whitman Green, five-year-old son of Colonel John E. Green, commander of the Reserve Officers Training Corps at Wilberforce University, was drowned in a cistern underneath the rear porch at his home when he crawled through a hole in the lattice work in search of his pet kitten at 7 o'clock Tuesday night.

The body was found in five feet of water. Drs. Paul D. Espey and W. H. Finley, Xenia, worked for an hour over the boy to bring back life by both natural and artificial means, but all efforts to revive him failed. Physicians believe he had been dead for at least three-quarters of an hour when found.

The child had been playing with his eight-year-old brother in the yard at his home. His absence was first noticed by his father, who has previously cautioned the children to remain in the yard and play because of the danger of passing automobiles.

Colonel Green searched the entire neighborhood without avail and finally questioned the lad's older brother, John Jr., who said he had crawled through the lattice work to find his kitten.

A piece of cheese cloth had been stretched across the open cistern. In view of this fact and because of darkness under the porch, it is the theory he crawled upon the cloth which gave away, precipitating him into the water.

Neighbors joined in the search and "Sap" Lane, Wilberforce, lowered himself into the cistern and removed the body.

The child is survived by his parents and one brother John E. Green, Jr.

Funeral services will be held at the residence Thursday at 2:30 p. m., fast time with interment in Tarbox Cemetery.

### POLICE SEEK PAIR WHO OUT RACED COPS

A short but spirited chase on the Wilmington Pike in which two alleged bootleggers in an auto were pursued by Patrolmen Peter Shagin and Ed Craig on a motorcycle ended abruptly when police abandoned the pursuit after losing the trail early Tuesday evening.

Police continued their search Wednesday. Two men identified by the names of Puckett and Melvin, Xenia, are the objects of the search. The pair fled at the approach of the officers in an auto, throwing out two jugs containing liquor, it was reported.

The liquor was confiscated. The fugitives escaped in a lane leading from Jasper Ave. to Columbus St.

### SHERIFF STILL ON KIDNAPPING PROBE

Sheriff Morris Sharp was in Dayton Tuesday afternoon to continue his investigation into the alleged attempt to abduct Miss Ruth Fitzgerald, 28, Dayton, from her escort, Henry Schutler, also of Dayton, on the Kemp Road near Zimmerman last Saturday night.

Condition of Miss Fitzgerald, who is in Miami Valley Hospital Dayton, with a fractured skull sustained when she leaped from the bandit car which she had been forced to enter at the point of a gun, was reported improved Wednesday although she is still unable to carry on a conversation, or be interviewed.

Sheriff Sharp is co-operating with Montgomery County authorities in the search for the alleged kidnapper but no clew has been uncovered to clear up the identity of the bandit.

### NO WONDER

NEW LEXINGTON, O., July 7.—When an electric motor used to pump water for New York Central Railroad engines here went dead, it stayed dead despite all efforts to revive it. When dismantled, the body of a sparrow and a frog were found in the motor. They had been electrocuted.

## EXPECT 400 AT REUNION OF EX-PUPILS AT HOME

Senator Frank B. Willis Will Address Annual Banquet—Officials Elected Wednesday Morning.

Attendance at the annual reunion of the Ex-Pupils' Association, Ohio Soldiers' and Sailors' Orphans Home, was expected to reach the 400 mark before Wednesday evening.

The annual banquet, Wednesday night, at which U. S. Senator Frank B. Willis speaks, will draw the largest crowd, it is thought. Election of officers of the Ex-Pupils Association was scheduled for Wednesday morning. Wednesday afternoon will be given over to a ball game and other sports arranged for amusement of the guests.

The association held an informal reception for Col. and Mrs. T. S.

Andrews, new superintendent and head matron at the institution, Tuesday afternoon. A short musical program was given after the reception, when Mrs. Howard Carman, Columbus, sang.

The yearly "Buster Brown and Mary Jane" masque dance was held at the new high school auditorium, Tuesday night. The several hundred revelers were costumed and frolicked with abandon. Music was furnished by the Harmony Kings, Xenia orchestra.

Dancing on the campus platform will follow the banquet, Wednesday night. The formal dance of the reunion will be held outdoors Thursday night if the weather is favorable. Thursday will mark the last day of the reunion.

### \$250 a Week for Countess



Mrs. Aedita Fisher, wife of H. C. "Bud" Fisher, the cartoonist, was granted \$250 a week pending her suit for separation in New York courts. She was formerly Countess de Beaumont.

### SNOW SLIDES BLOCK CHILE-ARGENTINE TRAFFIC IS REPORT

SANTIAGO, Chile, July 7.—Chile to Argentine transportation is blocked by the greatest snowstorm in twenty years. Hundreds of commercial travelers and others are detained at Los Andes and Mendoza, while rotary plows on both sides are grinding through the Cordilleras.

It is estimated that sixty-three tunnels have been blocked, while frozen cogged tracks and labor shortage are hindering the work of clearing the way.

This morning the worst snow slide in years, 200 meters long and ten deep, massed with rocks, smothered the tracks near Mendoza. It is expected that the clearing will be completed to Juncal tonight, making 150 kilometers from Los Andes but a break in the weather and sunshine supply the only possibility of opening the road within six days making a total of sixteen days of blockade.

Many are intending to journey to Buenos Aires by way of the Magellan or La Paz. Meantime the rain-storm at Valparaiso and Santiago is clearing but threatening, while authorities are listing the great damage on the coast which was done last week.

### KILLED BY AUTO

RAVENNA, O., July 7.—Warren Bowers, 35, is dead here from injuries received when an automobile turned over.

### GIRLS KILLED BY BOYS' JOKE

STEUBENVILLE, O., July 7.—Two little girls were dead here today, the victims of what two boys intended to be a joke. The girls, Dorothy and Ruth Lambing, were killed when an automobile, its brakes loosened by the boys, plunged down a hill into the Lambings home.

Dorothy and Ruth when children were sitting in their porch swing and did not see the car as it began its mad plunge.

Only one of the children escaped injury.

### MANY KILLED WHEN QUAKE HITS JAVA

SAMARANG, Java, July 7.—Earthquake death and damage tolls continued to mount today. Two villages bordering on Lake Singkara were smashed by a huge wave during yesterday's quake and forty-one persons including fourteen children were drowned.

Reports from the Padang Highlands indicate the casualties and damages of last week's shakes will exceed the estimates already made.

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## DAMAGE ESTIMATED MORE THAN MILLION FROM WIND AND RAIN

Dayton Struck Hard And Communication Cut Off

COLUMBUS, July 7.—Heavy rain and wind storms which swept the state yesterday caused damage estimated today at \$1,200,000 and the injury of two persons.

Columbus, Dayton and Cincinnati were the hardest hit, water and lightning damage running high in each city.

The spire of St. Dominic's Catholic Church here toppled over when lightning shattered it.

Over \$100,000 damage was recorded in Dayton. Cincinnati's damage will run over \$75,000. Lightning struck the denaturing plant of the Federal Products Company there exploding 10,000 gallons of alcohol.

A downfall of .73 inches of rain soaked Columbus, most of it falling within an hour. Dayton's rainfall 1.91 inches, was beneficial to parched lawns and dry gardens.

The two injured as a result of the storm were Lewis Chenoweth, 28, Grove City and William Gashwion, 10, South Columbus.

Chenoweth was in real estate office here using a telephone when the line was struck by lightning. Young Gashwion was struck while he was seated in a swing in front of his home.

High winds accompanying the heavy rain uprooted trees and shrubs causing minor damage to buildings and telephone lines. The rain flooded cellars and low-lying buildings.

The storm in Dayton snapped all telephone and telegraph wires and all means of communication with the city were shut off during the afternoon.

Serious damage to crops in southwestern Ohio also resulted from the storm, wheat and tobacco crops suffering especially. The damage in Montgomery County to crops was estimated at \$25,000.

Zanesville experienced one of the most severe rain and electrical storms encountered this season. During the storm, Albert Shanke and Miss Etha Wirling, employees of the American Thirk Company were knocked unconscious by lightning.

## FIVE ARRAIGNED ON LIQUOR OFFENSES; FOUR GIVEN FINES

Five men, two of whom are colored, were arraigned before Probate Judge S. J. Wright Wednesday morning and four were fined a total of \$1,000 and costs for liquor law violations. The fifth pleaded not guilty and will be given a trial.

In view of extenuating circumstances, Walter Miller, 33, and Lewis Miller, 21, tenants on the farm owned by Frank Townsley, north of Cedarville, were only fined \$100 and costs each when they pleaded guilty to possessing implements designed for the manufacture of liquor. A complete twenty-five-gallon capacity still and a barrel of mash was found when the farm was raided Saturday night. The Millers, who are not related were charged with operating it. Both were committed to the County Jail.

Charles Smith, colored, Cedarville, was fined \$500 and costs for second offense for possessing liquor when he pleaded guilty. Earl Andrew, 35, Cedarville, was fined \$300 and costs when he pleaded guilty to a similar charge. Both were arrested in raids Monday. Smith was committed to the County Jail in default of payment of the fine and Andrew was making arrangements for payment Wednesday.

John Banks, 25, colored, Xenia, returned from the Dayton Workhouse on a thirty-day-old warrant charging him with furnishing liquor. He pleaded not guilty before Judge Wright. He was released under \$500 bond for appearance at his trial set for July 12 at 1:30 p. m.

## SUBMARINE NEARS BROOKLYN YARDS

NEW YORK, July 7.—The submarine S-51 raised Monday after nine months on the ocean's bottom, was reported drawing near to Hall Gate at daybreak today having spent the night in steady progress down Long Island Sound.

Towed by a fleet of tugs and conveyed by the mine sweeper Falcon, the submarine was making about four knots an hour. At the Brooklyn Navy Yard, the hull will be cut open and navy officers expect they will find within the bodies of more than 20 of the 33 men who perished when the ship went down in a collision with the liner City of Rome last summer.

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## BLAME THE AUTOMOBILE

The Chicago piano manufacturer who views with alarm the growing demand for automobiles is to be excused for his peculiar state of mind, but all will not agree with him that the American home was destroyed when the public transferred their monthly payments from the piano to the automobile. When one's own little world falls upon his head it is only natural to proclaim the collapse of the universe, and this is the case with the piano business which has suffered much in competition with the automobile, phonograph and radio.

This is a great nation, its wealth is fabulous. Apparently it can spend \$14,000,000,000 a year for automobiles and hardly notice the expense. Even after spending this huge sum for motoring the American public is paying \$112,000,000 a year for pianos and many times that amount for phonographs, radios and other musical instruments, more and better homes and luxurious furnishings for those homes.

It is possible that a piano has ceased to make a home, although there was a time in the dim dead past beyond recall when the home was not complete without one. Before the piano, the organ was a necessary attribute of the household, and its discard can be traced to the piano. No doubt the organ manufacturers when they saw their business being taken from them by the piano makers, predicted economic ruin for the nation if the people continued to mortgage their homes and encumber their incomes to buy costly pianos.

There will always be a large demand for the piano. It may not be the first piece of furniture to enter the home of the future but sooner or later it will be coveted in a great majority of those homes. The self-pitying one from Chicago is living in the past when a piano represented the savings of a lifetime of the average family. Today millions of families are able to save from one year's income sufficient money to buy an automobile representing the market value of two or more pianos.

## THE PERIODICAL INVESTIGATION

Consumption of gasoline during the first four months of this year exceeded that of any similar period—more than 20 per cent greater than first quarter consumption last year.

Surplus stocks have been greatly reduced, and an unusually heavy summer demand is expected. A slight increase in price of crude oil and gasoline has resulted from these unsurpassed demands, and the senate has directed the Federal Trade Commission to investigate the situation, alleging price-fixing methods.

This may result in much testimony being taken during the summer, but the industry appears to have become accustomed to these investigations, as they have been in almost continuous progress since the close of the war. They all cost taxpayers money, but they furnish campaign material and jobs for public employees.

## Today's Talk

### TO BE A TREE

I know nothing about reincarnation, excepting what I have read or learned of its meaning. But it is beautiful to think that these souls of ours go on and on—after they have played about in this body.

Many of the ancients believed that they would live in state of animals and plants and things.

It is a nice speculative thought to have this body someday rise in the sap of the ground and work its way into a tree, climb the branches, spreading out and touching leaves until they form into their beautiful shapes giving color and beauty to the landscape about, or perhaps here and there giving nourishment to a group of flowers that later ripen into fruit for bird or beast or man.

Just sit under a tree during a storm and note how it blends its life even to disturbing elements. And then experience its shade during a hot summer day. Or re-

member its beauty out in the cool of the morning or evening during the rising of a sun or its setting.

Or, travel in your dreams back to the farm house and listen to the concert of the birds at dusk. God must have thought a great deal about trees, for He made so many different kinds and scattered them clear around His world. And He put into people's hearts the desire for them, the love for them, so that a home looks incomplete without them about it.

I recently passed over a great desert. For miles nothing but sage brush and cactus. Then, I would see a little farm house with a bunch of trees about it, or perhaps some cows eating nearby. Some day I hope to write a book which will be called, "My Book of Trees." And I will have pictures and little stories in it of trees that grow all over the surface of this earth.

I wouldn't mind being a beautiful tree!

## SURGEONS RESTORE BOY'S FACE HALF BLOWN OFF BY EXPLOSION

SYDNEY, July 3.—Two years ago a nine-year-old boy in a Victorian township had the lower half of his face blown away by the accidental discharge of a shotgun, and today thanks to the skill of an Adelaide surgeon, he has a new half-face.

The surgeon, Dr. Simpson Newland, gained a worldwide reputation by his surgery achievements in the World War and the British Government endeavored to retain his services in England, but Newland returned to Australia in order that his services should be available to Australian soldiers if they were needed. But the operation on the boy is said to be more remarkable than any he performed in war hospitals.

Newland took pieces of flesh from various parts of the boy's body, and began the work of building up a foundation for the missing half of the boy's face. Six operations were spread over a year, before the boy began to resemble his former self.

In the last operation the doctor cut two strips of skin from the boy's temple over the forehead, and up on to the skull. These he laid back and turning them, brought them down around the flesh that he had built up as a chin. The skin grew and so did

some of the roots of hair contained in it. The 11-year-old boy is growing a beard.

In a few weeks' time will come the last operation. Newland will take out one of the boy's ribs, and fashion it into a complete lower jawbone. This will be let into the built-up flesh and grafted on to the ends of the original jawbone, which was blown completely off at the last tooth in the lower jaw. This is said to be comparatively simple, and the success of the whole operation is assured.

## WILL BUILD CHURCH FOR LATEST SAINT

ROME, July 7.—Saint Teresa of the Bambin Jesus, the latest of the saints, whose canonization took place only last year is to have a church built and dedicated in her honor in the Sebastiani quarter of Rome.

Saint Teresa is the youngest saint of the century, and is the object of great honor and devotion among French Catholics, having been born at Lisieux, France.

## National Tortoise And Hare



## 1906-Twenty Years Ago-1926

Mr. Arthur Thrall will leave soon with a friend, Mr. Jenkins, for North Dakota, where they expect to spend the summer on a ranch.

Xenia Clippers were defeated 8 to 5 by the Springfield Tecumseh Park nine. Dill pitched.

The Springfield Cadet Band will help enlighten things at the ex-pupils reunion at the O. S. and S. O. Home this week.

Mr. Herman Eavey is spending a few days at Put-in-Bay, where he is enjoying a little outing and attending a convention of coal dealers.

## Efficient Housekeeping

By Laura A. Kirkman

### TOMORROW'S MENU

Breakfast  
Cherries  
Cereal  
Creamed Dried Beef  
Muffins  
Coffee  
Luncheon  
Devilled Tomatoes on Toast  
Wholewheat Bread  
Left-Over Prunes  
Iced Tea  
Cookies  
Dinner  
Sliced Left-Over Lamb  
Meat Relish  
Rice Croquettes  
Peas  
Lettuce  
French Dressing  
Raspberry Shortcake  
Coffee

### ANSWERS TO INQUIRIES

Mrs. H. R.: "Is there any way to dry-clean curtains? Mine do not seem soiled enough for laundering."

Answer: I would advise you to launder them. I do not think an attempt to dry-clean them would be very successful. At least it would be no less trouble than washing them.

Mrs. M. S.: "How are ants driven from the kitchen?"

Answer: The United States Department of Agriculture publishes a Farmer's Bulletin (No. 74), entitled "House Ants," which is free to all who write to Washington, D. C. for it, addressing their letter simply to "U. S. Dept. of Agriculture." This excellent bulletin explains many ways of exterminating the red and the black ant, both by killing the pests with poisoned baits, such as a sponge moistened with sweetened water, and then plunging the sponge into boiling water to kill the ants.

It also warns the housewife against leaving food about on shelves or other open spaces. Other methods are the following: 1. Place the legs of the refrigerator, kitchen table and kitchen cabinet in saucers or pans containing water, then pour kerosene oil on top of the water—to keep pests (both ants and roaches) from getting onto kitchen furniture. 2. Have your druggist fix you a five per cent carbolic acid solution and put this in an oil can, the nozzle of which will go into cracks and crevices. This is a POISON, so should not be used in a home where there are children.

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## SIDELIGHTS

ON  
Greene County History

### SOIL FOODS

Use of soy beans is increasing and this legume should be more extensively cultivated. It not only furnishes a valuable stock of food, but, what is also extremely useful to the farmer, it is one of the best crops to improve the soil. Beets, turnips, and rye are grown in the county to a limited extent for stock food. Hay, both clover and timothy, has been grown in the county for nearly a century.

As early as 1840 the hay product was returned in the government agricultural census. Greene County in that year reported 9,382 tons for a total value of \$57,325. In 1850 15,704 tons were reported, the return not indicating whether it was clover or timothy, or both combined.

Clovers with beans, peas and alfalfa, are being grown each year.



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PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD

for the beneficial effect they have on the soil. Farmers are beginning to realize more than ever before the value of the nitrogen-fixing bacteria of the legumes.

Question of artificial fertilizers has come to the fore in recent years. The farmer has learned by experience his land must be "fed" as regularly as he feeds his cattle and hogs. Crop rotation partially solves this difficulty but it does not keep all kinds of soil in shape to produce crops. It was found the legumes are a big factor in soil conservation but that they needed assistance.

For this reason the commercial fertilizer was developed, soil foods which can be fed to the soil to increase its fertility. For instance in 1916, Greene County farmers used 5,403,740 lbs. of commercial fertilizer, twenty-six tons of lime, the total cost amounting to \$50,121.

Liming of wet and sour soil is not a new thing. It has been used by some of the farmers of the county since the days of the Civil War. Lime is being used to an increasing extent each year.

## Just Folks

BY EDGAR A. QUEST

### BIRTHDAY GREETING TO BUO

Another birthday, son o' mine,  
(And still your heart is clean  
and true,  
And still your eyes with laughter  
shine!  
God keep them so your whole  
life through!

You have not hung your head in  
shame,  
Nor lessened once our love and  
pride—  
You've been a credit to your name,  
Your feet have never turned  
aside.

God bless you, boy, and keep you  
strong!  
May many birthdays follow this;  
May all the sting of conscious  
wrong  
And hurt of shame be yours to  
miss.

Your heart is still so clean and  
true,  
And still your eyes with laugh-  
ter shine—  
God keep them so your whole life  
through,  
And bless your journey, son o'  
mine.

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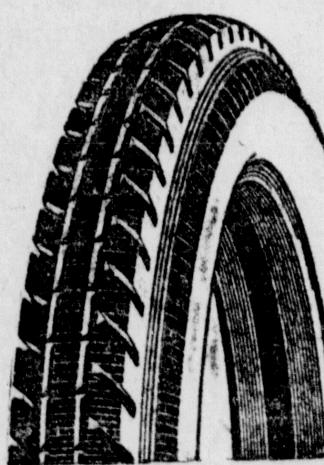
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2 yds. Silk repp, 59c quality \$1.00  
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## DINNER PARTY ON BIRTH ANNIVERSARY

A three-course dinner was served at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Osborne, Sunday, in honor of Mr. Osborne's birthday.

Those who enjoyed the occasion were: Mr. and Mrs. Ben Osborne, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Starke, and three children, Mr. Harold Method, all of near Waynesville and Mrs. Emerson Ditt, Dayton.

## TOWNSHIP SEWING CLUB HOLDS MEETING

Sewing Club of Xenia Twp., met at the home of Mrs. J. A. Hutchinson, Tuesday afternoon. The regular business meeting was held when plans were made for the Greene County Fair work and the name "The Worth While Club," selected.

The girls spent the afternoon sewing. Next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. F. P. Hastings Tuesday afternoon, July 13.

Miss Evelyn Anders and Miss Erma Glass, Miami University, spent the week end at their home at Alpha. Miss Betty Hill, Fletcher, was their week end guest.

Miss Ruth Hadley, 628 Woodlawn Ave., Springfield, entertained with an afternoon bridge party, Monday, honoring Miss Betty Laist, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Laist, this city, who plans to leave soon for an extended tour of Europe.

Earl Short, Jr., W. Market St., is spending the week in West Liberty, O., with relatives.

Miss Rachel Dice, seriously injured her right eye, when she was struck by pebbles from a "torpedo" during a Fourth of July celebration. Dr. Reed Madden is attending the injured eye and making every attempt to save her sight.

Mrs. George L. White, W. Market St., has as her guest, Mrs. Jennie Curtis, El Paso, Tex., who stopped in Xenia enroute home after a visit in New York City.

Mr. Samuel Ellis, Wilmington Pike, is recovering from an attack of grip from which he has been ill several days.

David Short, W. Market St., is spending a few days in Wilmington, the guest of Mr. Bert Morris.

Young son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Oglesbee, Wilmington Pike, is ill with an attack of toxemia.

Mrs. Charles O'Brien and infant son, Charles Jr., N. King St., spent the week end and the Fourth with relatives in Northside, Cincinnati.

Miss May Orr is enjoying a vacation from The Citizens' National Bank and is on a conducted tour East. She will stop at Cleveland, Buffalo, Niagara Falls, New York and Philadelphia in addition to a lake trip and down the Hudson River.

Billy and Bobbie Crawford, little sons of Mr. and Mrs. Grover Crawford, St. Detroit St., are recovering from severe attacks of ear and throat trouble. Billy, the older has been ill with a complication but is now improving. Bobbie's illness has been confined to his throat. Both have been ill ten days.

Little Miss Elizabeth Hendlen, Wilmington Pike, has returned home after a two weeks' visit with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Rinehart, Dayton.

Mrs. Sadie Reed, Los Angeles, Calif., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George O. Bane, near Jamestown.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Thomas, Yellow Springs, have received announcement of the birth of a son, Eugene William, to their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Sprague, Scranton, Pa. This is Mr. and Mrs. Sprague's second child, their other child, a girl, being two years old.

Mrs. Lawrence Davis, W. Second St., received serious burns to her right hand and arm, when a miniature "volcano" exploded while Mrs. Davis was visiting her sister, Mrs. Albert Sanders, Jamestown, Monday. The fireworks had failed to flare when a match was first applied and when Mrs. Davis touched it with a second match, it exploded. She received second degree burns from the tips of her fingers above her hand, the upper part of the arm being less seriously burned. She is confined to bed at her sister's home.

Mrs. M. C. Reeves, seamstress, Gazette Building, fractured her left arm and dislocated several fingers of her left hand when she suffered an attack of vertigo, Sunday, at her home, and fell.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Marshall, Newcomerstown, O., and Mr. W. L. Marshall, Columbus, spent the past week end with Mr. and Mrs. James Hawkins, near Xenia.

The Greene County Library will be closed every evening except Saturday, during Chautauqua week.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred DeVoe and son, Donald; the Misses Lura Bales, Ruth Clouse and Wanda DeVoe; Messrs. Glenn, Ernest McKay and Robert Copeland were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Stroup, Troy, Monday evening after which they attended the Eagles' Celebration at Troy fairgrounds.

Miss Miriam Hawkins, of the state college extension service, Bozeman, Mon., arrived in Xenia Monday and will spend two weeks with relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. William Gangwer and family, W. Manchester, Mr. and Mrs. George Brower and daughter of Lewisburg, Mr. and Mrs. John Boyd of W. Milton, were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Henderson of Jasper Station.

Mrs. D. W. Cosley entertained a company of women friends at her attractive home on W. Second St., Saturday evening, with a porch party for the pleasure of Mrs. Philip LaBelle and Mrs. Horace L. White, Los Angeles, Cal., Mrs. A. E. Faulkner's guests. An informal social time was enjoyed and refreshments served.

Mrs. Frank Hustmyer, W. Main St., was taken suddenly severely ill Monday night, and has been under the care of physician since. Her condition has not been serious and is steadily improving.

Mrs. Charles C. Cost and children, Donald, George and Lewis left Wednesday morning for St. Paul, Minn., for a visit with Mrs. Cost's sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Michael Hannan.

Mrs. Vernon Gorman, Gladstone, was removed to the Springfield City Hospital, Monday, for treatment and a possible operation. She was taken to Springfield in the Nagley ambulance from Xenia.

Members of the former "C. I. C." and present "V. J. B." club will be entertained by the Misses Margaret Calhoun and Mildred Dice, at the latter's home, Friday evening at 7:30.

Mr. and Mrs. Anell Stephens, W. Second St., left Monday morning by motor, enroute to Niagara Falls and other points of interest in the East.

Members of the "Kitcherettes" Food Club are asked to meet Thursday, when plans will be made for some field trips.

Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Merica, Akron, arrived Saturday and spent the Fourth with Mrs. S. D. Corwin, W. Second St.

Mrs. Raymond Wolf, Burlington Pike, who underwent an emergency operation at McClellan Hospital, Monday night, is recovering favorably. She was taken suddenly seriously ill Monday morning and an operation was imperative. Her condition is thought satisfactory.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Smith, and Mrs. Edward Smith and family, Detroit, Mich., motored to Xenia to spend the Fourth, as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Smith, S. King St.

Mr. Clark Poland, W. Main St., underwent a delicate operation performed behind his ear, necessitated by poison in his system settling there. He has been seriously ill with the trouble some time but is now recovering.

Quarterly conference which was to have been held at First M. E. Church, Wednesday night, has been postponed until after Chautauqua.

Miss Dena Mills and Mrs. M. M. Stillwell, Dayton, spent Wednesday with Miss Mills' parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Mills near Cedarville. Miss Mills is leaving Friday for Michigan to spend two months at a summer resort.

Mrs. Robert Murray, N. Detroit St., was removed to the Miami Hospital, Dayton, Wednesday, preparatory to an operation, Thursday.

Miss Helen Howard, of God's Bible School, Cincinnati, spent the week end and the Fourth with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Howard.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Strain will entertain the J. F. F. Club at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gene Strain, Van Eaton Road, Friday evening. Members are asked to bring a half dozen bananas.

Mrs. Martha McClellan, Mrs. C. S. Dean, Mr. Russell Dean, Mr. Charles Miller and Mrs. Adda Oglesbee motored to Newton Falls, O., Thursday and remained until Sunday the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Dean.

**EAST END NEWS**  
MRS. JAMES HARRIS  
Correspondent  
TEL. 91-R

Woman's Relief Corps, No. 223, held a program Monday afternoon on the lawn at 40 Taylor St. Forty East End children were on the program, which included a flag drill, songs and other drills. The children gave a pledge to the flag after singing "America." The lawn was decorated with flags, and bunting. The corps wishes to thank the friends and parents for letting their children participate. Officers of the corps are: Mrs. Hattie Spencer, president; Mary Roman, chaplain; Fannie Garrett, guard; Josie Windall, secretary.

**WINS CREED PRIZE**

COLUMBUS, O., July 7.—Robert Lobser, of Cleveland, has won first place in the American Legion's contest among school children of Ohio for an inspirational and vigorously patriotic flag creed, according to information received here by James F. Corrigan, Department Americanism chairman.

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## WOMAN AND BABE INJURED WHEN MACHINES COLLIDE ALONG PIKE

Mistaking the friendly wave of the driver of an oncoming auto as a signal, he was about to stop, C. G. Andrews, West-boro, O., swerved his machine to the left creating a head-on collision in which four persons were slightly injured at 5:30 p. m., Tuesday two miles southeast of Xenia on the Wilmington Pike.

Mrs. Olive Pendell and nine-month-old child, who occupied the front seat of a touring car owned and driven by her husband, Nathan Pendell R. R. 1, Xenia, were hurled through the windshield but escaped with minor cuts and bruises about the face and head. Four other children in the rear seat were unhurt.

Two women who occupied the sedan owned and driven by Andrews, whose names were not learned, were also slightly hurt in the crash. Andrews, who is said to room with them, did not reveal their identity.

Dr. W. H. Finley, Xenia, called to the scene of the accident, ad-

ministered first aid treatment to Mrs. Pendell and her child. Both cars were wrecked. The sedan overturned in a ditch but the touring car, although also hurled into a ditch, remained upright.

Andrews was driving toward Wilmington and Pendell toward Xenia. Action of Pendell in waving his hand to someone in a farmhouse is thought to have confused Andrews making him believe he was about to stop on the wrong side of the road. He is said to have turned his car to the left to pass and the machines met head on.

Sedan was taken to the Stephens and Bernard Garage at Wilmington for repairs. Delver Belden, auto club secretary, Deputy Sheriff John Baughn, Motorcycle Police-mana Peter Shagin and Patrolman Fred Jones investigated.

## MT. TABOR

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Devoe entertained to dinner Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Will Devoe, and family, and Mrs. Mafion Jones and daughter, all of Xenia, and Mrs. Lizzemmy Devoe and daughter, Flo., of Paintersville.

Mr. and Mrs. John Smith and family motored to Indianapolis, Saturday, and remained over to spend the Fourth with their son, Luther and family.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Hollingsworth and daughter, Pauline, spent Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Foster Hollingsworth, of Dayton.

Ernestine Jones spent several days last week with her cousin, Freda Trout, of Mt. Carmel.

Roy Hook and family of New Jasper, spent Sunday with Mrs. Hook's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Jones.

Stanley Jones spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Marion Devoe, of Lutterell.

At the church Sunday evening the 11th, Sunday School at 6:30 o'clock, followed by preaching. The Loyal Sons' and Daughters' Sunday School classes will hold their monthly class meeting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Riley Jones, Tuesday evening the 13th.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Smith and family spent Saturday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Beal and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Wolary spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. John McKenzie, of near Sabina.

## SPRING VALLEY

Mr. Arch Copsey's Sunday School class of boys enjoyed an all day picnic and fishing excursion on Cessacreek, Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Bagford entertained Thursday evening Mr. Thomas Bagford and daughter Miss Lillian, Miss Cora Dunford, Mr. Ralph Bagford and Mr. Robert King of Lebanon.

Little Miss Laura Wesley Whitaker of Morrow is visiting her cousin Virginia Alexander.

Little Miss Kathryn Hunt of Madisonville is visiting her cousins Emily and Billy Hiatt.

Miss Marie Squires of Dayton was the week end guest of Miss Laura Copsey.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Bagford entertained Sunday afternoon Mrs. Kate Penquite, Miss Rachel Bagford and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Penquite of Clarksville.

Misses Rebecca Sanders and Minerva Linscott entertained Sunday afternoon Mr. and Mrs. Lester Stiles and little son of New Carlisle.

Mr. and Mrs. I. O. Peterson entertained at supper Saturday evening Mr. and Mrs. Ray Peterson and daughters of Chicago and Mrs. Mildred Darnier of Dayton.

Mrs. Flora Mason spent the fore part of the week with her son Erwin and family of Dayton.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hudson and family of Columbus have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. P. S. Hudson Mr. and Mrs. I. O. Peterson and son attended the Peterson family reunion near Celina Sunday.

## Calendar of Events

(Notices of coming events in social or fraternal circles, lodge meetings, club gatherings or benefits will be published in this column free of charge. Phone notices not more than ten days preceding the event itself.)

**WEDNESDAY, JULY 7:**  
Church Prayer Meetings.  
J. O. U. A. M.  
K. of P.  
Moose.

**THURSDAY, JULY 8:**  
Obedient Thimble Club.  
Red Men.  
P. of X. D. G. A.  
W. R. C. C.  
Am. Ins. Union.

**FRIDAY, JULY 9:**  
Eagles.  
Union Community Club.

**SUNDAY, JULY 11:**  
Harshman-Yeakley Reunion.

**MONDAY JULY 12:**  
Xenia S. P. O.  
D. of P.  
Phi Delta Kappa  
Modern Woodmen.

**WEDNESDAY, JULY 14:**  
Church Prayer Meetings.  
J. O. U. A. M.  
K. of P.  
Moose.

**THURSDAY, JULY 15:**  
Obedient Thimble Club.  
Red Men.  
P. of X. D. G. A.  
W. R. C. C.  
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**FRIDAY, JULY 16:**  
Eagles.  
Union Community Club.

**SUNDAY, JULY 18:**  
Harshman-Yeakley Reunion.

**MONDAY JULY 19:**  
Xenia S. P. O.  
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**WEDNESDAY, JULY 21:**  
Church Prayer Meetings.  
J. O. U. A. M.  
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**THURSDAY, JULY 22:**  
Obedient Thimble Club.  
Red Men.  
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**FRIDAY, JULY 23:**  
Eagles.  
Union Community Club.

**SUNDAY, JULY 25:**  
Harshman-Yeakley Reunion.

**MONDAY JULY 26:**  
Xenia S. P. O.  
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**WEDNESDAY, JULY 28:**  
Church Prayer Meetings.  
J. O. U. A. M.  
K. of P.  
Moose.

**THURSDAY, JULY 29:**  
Obedient Thimble Club.  
Red Men.  
P. of X. D. G. A.  
W. R. C. C.  
Am. Ins. Union.

**FRIDAY, JULY 30:**  
Eagles.  
Union Community Club.

**SUNDAY, JULY 31:**  
Harshman-Yeakley Reunion.

**MONDAY AUGUST 1:**  
Xenia S. P. O.  
D. of P.  
Phi Delta Kappa  
Modern Woodmen.

**WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 3:**  
Church Prayer Meetings.  
J. O. U. A. M.  
K. of P.  
Moose.

**THURSDAY, AUGUST 4:**  
Obedient Thimble Club.  
Red Men.  
P. of X. D. G. A.  
W. R. C. C.  
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**FRIDAY, AUGUST 5:**  
Eagles.  
Union Community Club.

**SUNDAY, AUGUST 7:**  
Harshman-Yeakley Reunion.

**MONDAY AUGUST 8:**  
Xenia S. P. O.  
D. of P.  
Phi Delta Kappa  
Modern Woodmen.

**WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 10:**  
Church Prayer Meetings.  
J. O. U. A. M.  
K. of P.  
Moose.

**THURSDAY, AUGUST 11:**  
Obedient Thimble Club.  
Red Men.  
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W. R. C. C.  
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**FRIDAY, AUGUST 12:**  
Eagles.  
Union Community Club.

**SUNDAY, AUGUST 14:**  
Harshman-Yeakley Reunion.

**MONDAY AUGUST 15:**  
Xenia S. P. O.  
D. of P.  
Phi Delta Kappa  
Modern Woodmen.

**WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 17:**  
Church Prayer Meetings.  
J. O. U. A. M.  
K. of P.  
Moose.

**THURSDAY, AUGUST 18:**  
Obedient Thimble Club.  
Red Men.  
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**FRIDAY, AUGUST 19:**  
Eagles.  
Union Community Club.

**SUNDAY, AUGUST 21:**  
Harshman-Yeakley Reunion.

**MONDAY AUGUST 22:**  
Xenia S. P. O.  
D. of P.  
Phi Delta Kappa  
Modern Woodmen.

**WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 24:**  
Church Prayer Meetings.  
J. O. U. A. M.  
K. of P.  
Moose.

**THURSDAY, AUGUST 25:**  
Obedient Thimble Club.  
Red Men.  
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W. R. C. C.  
Am. Ins. Union.

**FRIDAY, AUGUST 26:**  
Eagles.  
Union Community Club.

**SUNDAY, AUGUST 28:**  
Harshman-Yeakley Reunion.

**MONDAY AUGUST 29:**  
Xenia S. P. O.  
D. of P.  
Phi Delta Kappa  
Modern Woodmen.

**WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 31:**  
Church Prayer Meetings.  
J. O. U. A. M.  
K. of P.  
Moose.

**THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 1:**  
Obedient Thimble Club.  
Red Men.  
P. of X. D. G. A.  
W. R. C. C.  
Am. Ins. Union.

**FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 2:**  
Eagles.  
Union Community Club.

**SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 4:**  
Harshman-Yeakley Reunion.

**MONDAY SEPTEMBER 5:**  
Xenia S. P. O.  
D. of P.  
Phi Delta Kappa  
Modern Woodmen.

**WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 7:**  
Church Prayer Meetings.  
J. O. U. A. M.  
K. of P.  
Moose.

**THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 8:**  
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**FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 9:**  
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## The Theatre

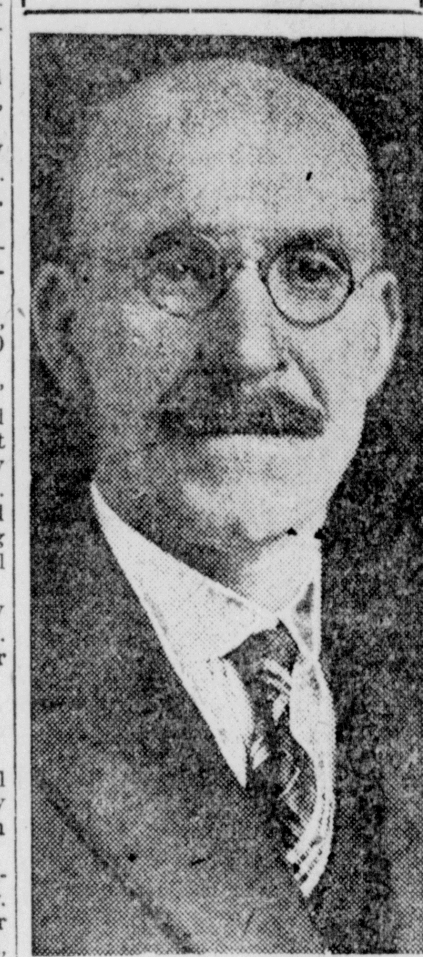
It is not the theater which pollutes the audience, but the audience which pollutes the theater. Today, the first class theater, the legitimate theater of fine tradition and pure artistic expression—as distinguished from the faddist, exotic theaters, which by presenting novel forms of drama with daring, morbid themes have gained a temporary vogue—is fighting for its very existence.

This, according to Charles Coburn, well known to playgoers as an actor-producer who has been identified with the best in the theater. His outstanding successes on Broadway were as the chorus in "The Yellow Jacket," and as old Bill in "The Better Ole."

The melodramatic theater having disappeared and its audience having become possessed of material wealth, that class has turned for its entertainment to the "first-class" theaters, with the result that the mental average of audiences in first-class theaters has been lowered, Mr. Coburn declares.

"Discussion of the theaters right on the psychology of the debaters, is beside the mark because of internal economic conditions."

## IS RETIRED



JOSEPH J. NASH

After forty years of service with the Pennsylvania Railroad, most of the time as engineer, Joseph J. Nash, St. Detroit St., has retired from active service. He warmly praised the company at the close of the long term of service.

## CAPTURE 'GATOR ALONG STREET

An alligator was captured on E. Main St., in almost the heart of the city Tuesday morning.

No, dear readers this is no delusion nor was the man who captured the reptile suffering from acute pre-Volsteadism, he actually made the capture in front of the Xenia Postoffice.

The alligator was the pet of Maurice Hyman, younger son of Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Hyman, E. Market St., and had escaped from the tub in which it was kept.

The gator was a gift from the boy's elder brother, Isadore, while he was in Florida last October.

The amphibian measures about twelve inches from the tip of its nose to the tip of its tail. It was found and returned to its owner by K. R. Harris, night operator of the city waterworks.

## ELEAZER

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lewis and Miss Sarah Weaver were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Emory Oglesbee, Sunday. Harry Allen Stout, Wilmington, has been their guest for four weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Stroup, Troy, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Roy McKay Sunday.

Mr. Frederick Hartsook, Dayton, spent the fourth with his parents. Miss Mary Smith Dayton, spent

## GIRLS OF SCHOOL AGE LEARN VALUABLE LESSON

Find Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound a Dependable Medicine

LOUISE LOUTHAN  
ROUTE 2, CHARLESTON, ILLINOIS

From the days of the polonaise to the days of the radio, mothers have given this dependable medicine to their daughters. School girls are often careless. They get wet feet. They overstudy or they let themselves with too many dances and parties. They get run down. Many an active girl of today, like the demure maiden of the 1870's, has found that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is helping her to find better health and energy.

"I gave my fifteen-year-old girl

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and it did her a wonderful lot of good. She had been out of school for four months. I read the advertisements of the Vegetable Compound, and since she has taken it she has improved and has gone back to school again. I recommend the Vegetable Compound to other mothers with girls who are not as strong as they should be."—Mrs. Anna Louthan, Route 2, Charleston, Illinois.

"My daughter was out of school two terms. I have known about Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound all my life and finally decided that she should try it. Three bottles helped her in various ways for the next couple of years."—Mrs. W. E. Gillette, 385 E. 52nd Place, Los Angeles, Calif.

"I have always been sickly, and until I was fourteen my father was very strict about my perfect attendance at grammar school. I have gone to school through hard storms and often taken cold. When I was fourteen I took to my bed and did not get up for eighteen months. Everyone thought I could not live. Just four months ago I began taking your wonderful medicine, Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and I could notice a great change almost at once. Now I feel like a new person. I wish all girls would try Lydia E. Pinkham's wonderful medicine."—Mrs. C. M. Smith, Union Village, Vermont.

the Fourth with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Buell, and sons, Robert and Lewis spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Faulkner.

Mrs. Ernest Hurley, Mrs. Loretta Wilfield, and children, of Dayton; Mrs. Joseph Shambaugh, spent Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Scott, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Hale, and family of Farmersville, spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Hartsook and Mrs. Mary Hartsook.

## BELLBROOK

The 4th passed off with about the usual amount of noise, the same old fire-cracker, the same old skyrocket and romancade being in evidence as on previous celebrations of the day.

Walter Edwards and family, of Dayton, spent a few hours in the village Sunday.

An unknown man suffered a broken leg Sunday night when



GREENE COUNTY'S  
GREATEST  
CLEARANCE  
SALE STARTS  
July 9th

# JULY CLEARANCE SALE

BY ALL MEANS  
BE HERE  
DROP EVERYTHING  
ELSE AND COME  
July 9th

Starts Friday Morning at 8 A. M. And Lasts 10 Days--Be Here When The Doors Open

## SAVINGS!

Good quality percales. Light or dark patterns. Yard wide. Clearance Sale price, per yd.

131-2c

Pretty patterns fine dress gingham's. 32 inches wide. Clearance Sale price, per yard

131-2c

Blue denim. Regular width. 30c quality. Clearance Sale price, per yard

24c

9-1 Bleached Pepperell Sheeting. Regular 55c quality. Clearance Sale Price, per yard

43c

9-1 Unbleached Pepperell Sheeting. Regular 48c quality. Clearance Sale Price, per yard

39c

42 inch Bleached Pepperell Pillow Tubing. Regular 37c value. Clearance Sale price, per yard

29c

A dandy good grade apron gingham. In many colored checks. Regular 13c value. Clearance Sale price per yard

9c

Large dotted voiles, now so popular. Yard wide. Regular 48c value. Clearance Sale price

39c

Rondeau Charmeuse dress fabric. Very pretty patterns. Yard wide. Regular 79c value. Clearance Sale price, per yard

59c

Whiteo Printz, the dress material that retains its luster after many washings. Regular 50c value. Clearance Sale Price, per yard

39c

Children's mercerized half hose. Pretty color combinations. 25c values. Clearance Sale price, per pr.

19c

Children's Rayon silk half hose. Bright colors. 50c values. Clearance Sale price

29c



## COATS MUST GO

Your Unrestricted Choice Of Any Coat In Our Store



Coats in a great sale that reach the peak in value-giving. Every coat a new Spring and Summer model in the newest styles and colors—but you'll have to come early. Your choice of our entire coat stock at one-half off.

FLARES  
STRAIGHT-LINES  
CREPE-LINED  
FUR-TRIMMED  
NEW COLORS

**1/2 OFF**

This huge stock of summer goods is now on the way and profit have been entirely forgotten—prices here will be the sensation of all Greene County. Your dollars will do double duty here as never before of bargains to be found here. Come prepared to be disappointed! Starting Friday morning and lasting ten days.

Smashing Prices In Xenia As Never Before  
The Sensation of All Greene County

**BROWN MUSLIN**  
39 Inches Wide  
8c yd.

**H. E. M. N.**  
12 yd.

**O. N. T. THREAD**  
31-2c

ALL PRICES TORN TO SHREDS

### BATHING SUITS

Men and Women's cotton bathing suits. Blue with red or white trimmings. Regular 69c value. July Clearance Sale price

49c

### DRESS SOX

Men's dress sock at a price that is seldom equaled. Good quality. Regular 12 1-2c values go in this Clearance Sale at

3 prs. 25c

### HANDKERCHIEFS

Plain white dress handkerchiefs or red or blue work handkerchiefs. All go in our great July Clearance Sale at

31-2c

### CROCHET COTTON

O. N. T. Crochet Cotton in both white and ecru colors. All sizes. Regular 10c value go in the Clearance Sale at

7c

**MEN! LOOK AT THIS  
GENUINE BLUE CHAMBRAY**

**Work  
Shirts**

Men! Just imagine buying a genuine blue chambray work shirt at this low price. Yet that's just what we are offering you. They are well made, full cut and correctly sized. We have them in all sizes.

**45c**

Men  
You'll  
Want 3 or 4  
At This Low Price!

## Your Choice of Hats



Your choice on any Spring or Summer hat in our store at this one low price. Included are hats that originally sold to \$4.95. Imagine buying them now at \$1.19. Choose early while selections are best.

**\$1.19**  
Women's summer gauze vests. Strap or tailored tops. Regular 25c value. In this great July Clearance Sale they go at

19c

Men's halbriggan union suits. Short sleeves, ankle length. \$1.00 values. Also \$1.00 athletic union suits. To clean up at

79c

Boys' good quality nainsook athletic union suits. In all sizes. Regular 50c value. Reduced for our July Clearance Sale to

35c

Special for men. Porous knit union suits. Most comfortable for summer wear. Regular 89c values. Reduced for this sale to

59c

Big Yank Work shirts for Men. Genuine chambray, full cut, two pockets, correctly sized. Regular 95c value. In our great July Clearance Sale they go at

69c

Girls' fine quality athletic union suits. Made with bloomer knee. 50c values. In sizes to 12. For quick clearance they go at

35c

Men's good grade athletic union suits. In all sizes. Our regular 50c grades. All go into this great Clearance Sale at

39c

Good size turkish towels. Nice pile nap. Regular 25c values. Some with fancy borders. Reduced for this sale to

19c

Women's pure thread silk hose. In the best selling colors. A real bargain at 69c. Now they go into this sale at

49c

Women's summer knit union suits. Open or closed style. All sizes. Regular 50c value. Reduced for this sale to

39c

Men here's what you have wanted. A good weight canvas glove. Fine for summer use. Out they go at, per pair

7c

Women's princess slips cheaper than you could buy by the meter. Regular 50c value. Marked down in our great Clearance Sale to

39c

Women's and Misses' stylish afternoon and street dresses on many pretty fabrics. Regular \$2.95 values, reduced for this sale to

\$2.45

Men's work socks. Good light quality especially good for summer wear. 10c grade. clean up in this sale at

71-2c

gain block for quick and decisive clearance. Cost even hammered down to rock-bottom—new low net nothing keep you away if you value money for this page can give but a small idea of the thousands of many, many dollars, and we promise you'll not be throughout ten bargain packed selling days.

Smashing Prices In Xenia As Never Before  
The Sensation of All Greene County

**BROWN MUSLIN**  
39 Inches Wide  
8c yd.

**O. N. T. THREAD**  
31-2c

Ladies' crepe bloomers in plain colors or figured. Regular 50c values. Reduced for our July Clearance Sale to

39c

Women's and Misses' attractive new novelty print dresses. All sizes. Regular \$1.95 value, reduced for this Clearance Sale to

\$1.49

Women's cotton hose in black and light summer colors. Regular 15c values. Reduced for quick clearance to, per pair

8c

A special lot of women's genuine "Cumfy-Cut" gauze vests. Regular 25c value. Large sizes. To clean up in this sale at

10c

Good size turkish towels. Nice pile nap. Regular 25c values. Some with fancy borders. Reduced for this sale to

19c

Women's pure thread silk hose. In the best selling colors. A real bargain at 69c. Now they go into this sale at

49c

Women's summer knit union suits. Open or closed style. All sizes. Regular 50c value. Reduced for this sale to

39c

Men's work socks. Good light quality especially good for summer wear. 10c grade. clean up in this sale at

71-2c

Women's fine princess slips in plain muslin and colors. Some are embroidered. \$1.00 values. Reduced for this sale to

85c

Women's knee pants in fine materials. Sizes to 16. Regular \$1.19. Reduced for great Clearance Sale to

89c

Children's full length hose in black, brown and light colors. Regular 15c values. Reduced for this Clearance Sale to

21c

## You Will Be Amazed At These Wonderful Dress Values!



Every dress in our stock is included in this great July Clearance Sale. Dresses of fine silks, crepes, and many other fine materials. All are made in the newest styles. Flares, straight lines, pleats and many new novel ways of trimming. In all colors. All sizes.

\$7.45 DRESSES

**\$4.69**

MUST GO AT

\$9.90 DRESSES

**\$6.95**

MUST GO AT

The Sale That Knows No Competition

## Genuine Broadcloth SHIRTS Regular \$1.25 Values

Genuine broadcloth shirts with collar attached—offered you in this great July Clearance Sale. They are neatly made of good quality broadcloth. In two colors, tan and white. All sizes. Come early, we have but a limited quantity to sell.

**79c**

Your choice of any Misses' coat in our store. During this July Clearance Sale they will all be sold at ONE-HALF PRICE.

39c

Very fine grade table damask. Our regular 49c quality. In this great Sale, it goes at, per yard

49c

Khaki denim. Very good grade. Full width. Regular 29c value. Clearance Sale price,

19c

220 Weight white-backed blue denim. Regular width. 35c grade on sale now at, per yard

29c

Feather Ticking that is guaranteed feather-proof. Our regular 45c grade. Clearance Sale price, per yard

39c

Columbia Window Shades. Strictly first quality. 7 ft. long. Color, Dark Green. To be sold in the great Clearance Sale at

49c

Women's under-arm pocket books. In all the new shapes and designs. \$1.00 values. Clearance Sale price

88c

Good quality 36 inch white outing. Regular 25c values. Clearance Sale price, per yard

17c

Women's crepe gowns in plain colors only. Regular 50c values. To clean up in this great Clearance Sale at

39c

Women's fancy figured crepe gowns or plain white lace trimmed muslin gowns. Regular \$1.00 values are reduced in this sale to

79c

New attractive patterns in boys percale blouses. Pretty stripes and small checks. Regular 50c values must go at

35c

Women's bungalow aprons in dark and light color percales or new novelty prints. Regular \$1.00 value. July Clearance Sale price

79c

A special lot of children's dress straw hats. Values to 75c. Clearance sale price

29c

10 yard bolts of Red Star Diaper Cloth. Regular \$2.25 value. Clearance Sale price, per 10 yards

\$1.59

Large flowered and small figured cretonnes. Regular 25c value. Clearance Sale price, per yard

17c

Fine new patterns of kimono crepe. Regular 35c values. Clearance sale price, per yard

25c

## Another Winner BIG 6 OVERALLS

OR CHOICE OF JACKETS TO MATCH

Men! Here's another hot one. BIG 6 OVERALL at a new low price. The quality is the best, none better. All are made of 220 weight denim, triple stitched, heavy bar tacked, big and roomy and sized correctly. You'll want several pairs at this unheard of low price. Jackets to match at the same price.

**\$1.12**

## BARGAINS!

Unbleached muslin. 39 inches wide. Regular 15c value. Clearance Sale price, per yard

9c

Everett Shirts. Many patterns to choose from. Regular 16c value. Clearance Sale price, per yard

13c

Unbleached muslin. Very good grade. Yard wide. Regular 12 1-2c value. Clearance Sale price, per yard

10c

Stevens all linen Toweling. Crash. Regular 17c grade. Clearance Sale price, per yard

121-2c

Good grade toweling crash. Regular 15c value. Clearance Sale price, per yard

10c

Straw ticking. Full width. Our regular 17c grade. Clearance Sale price, per yard

14c

A special lot of extra good quality percales and gingham. Clearance Sale price, per yard

10c

A special lot of fine figured patterns and dotted dress voiles. Yard wide. 35c quality. Clearance Sale price, per yard

15c

A special lot of extra nice curtain scrim. Regular 25c quality. Clearance Sale price, per yard

121-2c

Boys' wash suits in both one and 2 piece suits. Regular 98c values. Clearance Sale price

79c

Boys' washable suits in sizes to 8. Pretty materials, nicely made. Clearance Sale Price. Values to \$1.50.

\$1.29

Plain colors in underwear crepe. Regular 25c values. Clearance sale price, per yard

21c

REMEMBER THE PLACE—DON'T BE MISLED BY OTHER ADVERTISEMENTS  
XENIA BARGAIN STORE 24 N. DETROIT ST



# Classified Advertising Page

THE EVENING GAZETTE, WEDNESDAY, JULY 7, 1926.

SOMETHING YOU  
WANT TO BUY?  
READ THE  
CLASSIFIED COLUMNS

SOMETHING YOU  
WANT TO SELL?  
USE THE  
CLASSIFIED COLUMNS



YOUR  
WANT ADS  
TO 1-1-1

THE GAZETTE-REPUBLICAN  
XENIA'S "WANT AD"  
HEADQUARTERS

Daily Rate Per Line for Consecutive Insertions. Cash Charge.  
Six days ..... .05  
One day ..... .10  
Advertisements are restricted to proper classified ad style and type. The right is reserved by the publishers to edit or reject any advertising.  
The Xenia Gazette and Republican maintain a staff of clerks ever ready to perform service and render advice on all kinds of advertising.  
Advertisements ordered for irregular insertions will be charged for at the one-time rate. No advertisement will be taken for less than the cost of three lines. Special rates for yearly advertising "requests."  
The Publishers will be responsible only for one incorrect insertion. Subsequent corrections classified ads will be received until 10 a. m. for publication the same day.

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**  
1 Card of Thanks.  
2 Memorial Services.  
3 Funerals, Monuments.  
4 Taxi Service.  
5 Notices, Meetings.  
6 Personal.

**LOST AND FOUND**  
1 Lost and Found.  
2 Cleaning, Pressing, Laundering, Dressmaking, Millinery.  
3 Beauty Culture.  
4 Professional Services.  
5 Roofing, Plumbing, Heating, Electricians, Wiring.  
6 Building, Contracting.  
7 Painting, Papering.  
8 Repairing, Refinishing.  
9 Moving, Packing, Storage.

**EMPLOYMENT**  
1 Help Wanted—Male.  
2 Help Wanted—Female.  
3 Help Wanted—Agents—Salesmen.  
4 Situations Wanted.  
5 Help Wanted—Instruction.  
6 Live Stock—Poultry—Pigs—Dogs—Cats—Pets.  
7 Horses—Eggs—Supplies.  
8 Miscellaneous.

**MISCELLANEOUS**  
1 Wanted to Buy.  
2 Miscellaneous for Sale.  
3 Musical Instruments—Radio.  
4 Household Goods.  
5 Groceries—Meats.  
6 Where To Eat.  
7 Rooms—With Board.  
8 Rooms for Rent—Furnished.  
9 Rooms for Rent—Unfurnished.  
10 Houses—Flats—Unfurnished.  
11 Office and Desk Room.  
12 Miscellaneous for Rent.  
13 Wanted to Rent.  
14 Real Estate.

**REAL ESTATE**  
1 Houses for Sale.  
2 Lots for Sale.  
3 Real Estate for Exchange.  
4 Farms for Sale.  
5 Business Opportunities.  
6 Wanted, Real Estate.  
7 AUTOMOTIVE.  
8 Automobile Insurance.  
9 Auto—Laundry—Painting.  
10 Tires—Tubes—Batteries.  
11 Parts—Service—Repairing.  
12 Motorcycles.  
13 Auto Agencies.  
14 Used Cars for Sale.  
15 PUBLIC SALES.  
16 Auction Sales.

**CARD OF THANKS**  
1 WE TAKE THIS MEANS OF THANKING—our neighbors, friends and donors of flowers, Mr. Stanton for his comforting words, and Mr. Whitmer for his kind services, in the bereavement of our wife and mother, Mrs. Esther Warwick—Woodie Warwick and family.

**PERSONAL**  
1 WILL BOARD—A limited number of dogs, during vacation and week-ends, places reasonable. Mrs. Harry Hilliard, Route 6, Union Road, Phone 552R-2.  
2 LOST AND FOUND.  
3 LOST—Raccoon for neck piece between Bijou Theater and Candy Kitchen, Saturday evening, July 5, 1926, and receive reward.  
4 FOUND—THE PLACE—to get the finest dogs, from one half pound to twelve pounds. Price \$5.00 to \$50.00. Also registered dogs. Mrs. H. L. Hilliard, Route 6, Union Road, Phone 552R-2.  
5 LOST, STRAYED, OR STOLEN—a week ago, small brown dog, spotted black and white, short tail—Call 153W or 422 N. West St. Reward.  
6 CLEANING, PRESSING, LAUNDERING.  
7 XENIA HAND LAUNDRY—"Best hand laundry in town." We call for and deliver.  
8 136 E. Market St. Phone 1033.  
9 HATS OF ALL KINDS—cleaned and re-dressed. No shoes dried. BACK—AMERICAN SHOE SHINE PARLOR, 19 N. Detroit St.  
10 PROFESSIONAL SERVICES 11

**TUNING**  
Uprights, Grand and Player Pianos, Electric and Player Pianos, Expert Tuning.  
J. E. Kohl, Phone 67W.  
HEMSTITCHING—The Vogue Embroidery Shop, 19 S. Detroit St.  
CHIROPODIST—Mrs. T. H. Harwood, 541 E. Second St. 112-2.  
ELECTRICIANS, WIRING 13  
ELECTRIC SERVICE—starter, generator and magnet service. Xenia Storage Battery Co., 113 W. Market St.  
REPAIRING, REFINISHING 16  
FURNITURE REPAIRING—refinishing of all kinds. We can make your shabby furniture look like new. Fred Graham, White man St. Phone 3.  
HELP WANTED—MALE 18  
MEN WANTED—The Miami Perimeter Co., Treble, Ohio.  
HELP WANTED—FEMALE 19  
EXPERIENCED WAITRESS—Call at Interurban Restaurant.  
HELP WANTED—AGENTS, SALESMEN 21  
SALESMEN WANTED—to sell oil in 50-30-15 gallon drums to farmers, merchants, etc on 30 day credit. Earn \$300 weekly. Year round work looking orders for at once or future shipment. Auto required. State age. Interview at Columbus next week. Atlas Oil, General Offices, Cleveland, Ohio.  
HORSES, CATTLE, HOGS 26  
7 SPRING PIGS—for sale—See R. E. Bryson, Springfield Pike.  
MISCELLANEOUS FOR SALE 28  
HAY—baler and engine, combined. \$100.00—Jno. Harbino, Allen Bldg.

"Not Possible To Classify"

By Mack Sauer

## POTATOES AND EGGS

Of good menus there are hundreds  
But we tire of this and that,  
Often does the sweet aroma  
Of fried chicken knock us flat.  
When my wife comes with a painful,  
Worried look up her brow,  
Then I know she's come to ask me  
What I'd like to have for chow.

When we tire of beans and bacon,  
Sauerkraut and oyster stew,  
When we want no more of chicken,  
And we wonder what to do,  
When my wife frets and worries,  
And a hint from me she begs  
On just what to have for dinner—  
I say "Let's have spuds and eggs."

When fried onions tempt no longer,  
When we're tired of eating hash,  
When for liver, steak and onions  
All our taste has gone to smash,  
'Tis a joy to keep from starving,  
And a swell of gladness flows  
As we listen to the sizzling  
While we're frying eggs and spuds.

When the dusk of evening gathers  
And the darkness fills the stairs,  
When I trudge home from my toiling,  
Usually I'm saying prayers—  
Praying that when called to supper,  
When I'm shaved and in my duds  
I'll find something on the menu  
Other than fried eggs and spuds.

"Be sure your sins will find you out." We heard of a lady who got up in a revival meeting in a city in Indiana announced she had been out with a prominent undertaker of the city, gave his name, asked for forgiveness and sat down.

BA! BA! BLACK SHEEP!  
Said an old black sheep  
To Farmer Dorrada,  
"I didn't raise my boy  
To be a diploma."

## MISCELLANEOUS FOR SALE 28

NO. 1 NEW HAY ROPE—at a bargain—Xenia Iron & Metal Co., 17 Cincinnati Ave., Phone 144.

BRING IN THAT OLD IRON—We will give you \$1.00 for it, if you trade it in on a new one. J. Harbino, 17 Allen Bldg.

REED GO-CART—with hood in good condition, \$15.00—Phone 190R.

SERVUS CLEANER—for walls and woodwork—O. W. Everhart, 118 E. Main, Phone 628.

CELESTIAL PLANTS—Easy Blanching, Golden Self Blanching, and Giant Pascal. Strong transplanted plants. Also, late cabbage and other vegetable and flower plants—R. O. Douglas, Cor. Washington and Monroe, Phone 549W.

WHEAT AND OATS THRESHING—will be at hand soon. You will need belts, pulleys, rabbit metal, oil cups, injectors, lubricators, steam and water gauges, gauge glass, oilers, packing, boiler tubes, suction hose, tank pumps, pipe, valves and fittings. You can get them at the Hockett-Carlson Co., Phone 360.

GET IT AT DONGES

MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS, RADIO 29

PHONOGRAPHS—Choice of three, good values—Jno. H. Harbino, Jr.

HOUSEHOLD GOODS 30

NEW PERFECTION & PURITAN—oil stoves and ovens—Austin-Bickett Hardware Co.

GLOBE COOK STOVE—in good condition—J. H. Smith, 4026 E. 11.

SPECIAL SALE—Buffets, round tables, kitchen tables and chairs—J. H. Smith, 113 S. Detroit St., Phone 591W.

REFRIGERATOR—Nice one, \$15.00—J. H. Smith, Allen Bldg.

FLAYEY—pianos, small monthly payments—J. H. Smith, Allen Bldg.

BEDS—tables, bureaus, sideboards, other furniture, range, computing scales, iron safe, vulcanizing outfit, Sat. afternoon only—Jno. Harbino, Allen Bldg.

GAS RANGES—Coal oil stoves, cavenports, dressers, iron and brass ovens—J. H. Smith, 113 S. Detroit St., Phone 591W.

ROOMS FOR RENT, UNFURNISHED 36

FOR RENT—6 room and bath, 17 W. Third St.—Call 891W or see Martin Schmidt.

HOUSES, FLATS, UNFURNISHED 37

MODERN FIVE ROOM APARTMENT—Centrally located, with bath, electrically, soft water. Large front and back porch. Phone 132K.

GALLOWAY ADDITION—New house, modern, garden, both kinds of water—Telephone 886W.

4 room apartment, \$10.00. Modern 4 room apartment, close in, \$25.00.

Modern 6 room house, either furnished or unfurnished—Call 648R.

6 ROOM HOUSE—with bath, electricity, gas and furnace. Both kinds of water. Hardwood floor. Two squares from Court House—Inquire at 440 S. Columbus St.

MISCELLANEOUS FOR RENT 40

FASTURC—with water for rent—John Harbino, Jr., Allen Bldg.

HOUSES FOR SALE 42

WE HAVE FOR SALE—a splendid 5 room, part modern home on terms, \$300 cash, balance \$20 per month—See Grievé & Harbino, Allen Bldg.

MODERN HOME—703 North King St., Xenia.

MODERN, 7 ROOM—brick house at 310 Dayton St. Two lots on Xenia Ave. two acres on Winters St.—Inquire 310 Dayton St., Yellow Springs.

HOUSES 606 W. MAIN—\$300 down payment. 516 W. Second. \$2,400—John Harbino, Allen Bldg.

FARMS FOR SALE 45

5 PER CENT MONEY—on farms. After seeing the rest, compare with the best—Geo. H. Smith, 394 Greene St.

TOM LONG—Real Estate man. I will sell your farm and city properties or will loan you money. See me—No. 9 W. Main St.

MONEY TO LOAN—on FARMS. At Five per cent interest. Write W. C. Clemens, Cedarville, Ohio.

## RADIO PROGRAMS

WEDNESDAY, JULY 7

International Radio Program  
CENTRAL STANDARD TIME  
ETHER'S WHITE-CAPS

6:00 P. M. WLW (423) Cincinnati—College of Music recital "Summer School."  
7:45 P. M. WRVA (256) Richmond—The Wonders Quartette "Songs of the Sea."  
8:00 P. M. WSM (283) Nashville—Vocalists Belmont College Conservatory of Music.  
8:20 P. M. WAHG (316) Richmond—Long Island Blue Belles.  
SILENT STATIONS  
Eastern: CNRA, CNRE, CNRR, WBAL, WBR, WFI, WGBS, WCCP, WHAR, WHP, WPC, WRC, WRE, WRL, KFD, KFLD, KIDS, WCAI, WCAJ, WCAP, WCAE, WCI, WKI, WKO, KSD, WOC, WOCO and WGR.  
Western: CNRV, KFAU, KGO, WBAF.

## EVENING CONCERTS

KDKA (506) Pittsburgh, Baseball scores.  
WOC (484) Davenport, Baseball scores.  
7:45 P. M.  
WLBB (382) Elgin, Ill., Popular.  
WEAF (492) N. Y., The Silhouettes. Merri-mak and the Gentrymen from 2 and 1. Also from WTAC, WCAE, WSAI, WCAP, WCAE, WCI, WKI, WKO, KSD, WOC, WOCO and WGR.  
WNY (259) N. Y., Isaacson's Concert Orchestra.  
KMA (252) Shenandoah, Children's Hour.  
WFO (423) N. Y., The Silhouettes. Merri-mak and the Gentrymen from 2 and 1. Also from WTAC, WCAE, WSAI, WCAP, WCAE, WCI, WKI, WKO, KSD, WOC, WOCO and WGR.  
WBAF (492) N. Y., The Silhouettes. Merri-mak and the Gentrymen from 2 and 1. Also from WTAC, WCAE, WSAI, WCAP, WCAE, WCI, WKI, WKO, KSD, WOC, WOCO and WGR.

WAAW (263) Newark, The Bay Breeze.  
WGCP (252) New York, Vocal.  
WCAE (492) Pittsburgh, Concert.  
KFNZ (363) Shenandoah, Concert.  
WHO (526) Des Moines, Doran's Little Symphony.  
WOR (405) Newark, Special Musical.  
WBAF (492) N. Y., The Silhouettes. Merri-mak and the Gentrymen from 2 and 1. Also from WTAC, WCAE, WSAI, WCAP, WCAE, WCI, WKI, WKO, KSD, WOC, WOCO and WGR.  
WMBB (240) Chicago, Popular (2 hr.).  
WLAS (400) Louisville, Kentucky Night.  
WGVI (379) Schenectady, Eastman Orchestra.

8:00 P. M.  
WGR (319) Buffalo, Musical Program.  
WBAF (492) N. Y., The Silhouettes. Merri-mak and the Gentrymen from 2 and 1. Also from WTAC, WCAE, WSAI, WCAP, WCAE, WCI, WKI, WKO, KSD, WOC, WOCO and WGR.

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WCAI (395) Cincinnati, Fort Houston.  
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## The GILDED ROSE

by May Christie

LEADING CHARACTERS IN THE STORY:

ROSILYN PAGE, the hard-worked daughter of a Long Island innkeeper, finds herself on his death, heiress of a huge fortune. She is deeply in love with LANDIS RIDGEWAY, a charming young fellow in financial difficulties, who visited the inn regularly for ten years and was always kind to the lonely girl. His heart has been broken by the faithfulness of LYDIA HARBROOK, beautiful and utterly fearless woman of the world who is planning to marry STEVIE VAN VORST, a wealthy old roue, although she is fond of Landis.

MRS. FLORENCE RIDGEWAY, Landis' mother, fearing poverty invites Rosilyn to visit her and her son, and induces Landis to marry Rosilyn, although he loathes himself for taking her advice. Immediately after the ceremony, Rosilyn overhears gossip in which she learns that Landis has married her for money—she hears herself spoken of as the Gilded Rose. Heartbroken, she prepares to leave on her wedding journey.

CHAPTER 13  
The City of Enchantment  
LYDIA HARBROOK, waking from sleep to an enchanted morn of Spring in Paris, yawned, stretched herself luxuriously, shook back a stray lock of her fashionably "shingled" head, then pressed the summoning button by the bedside for her morning rolls and coffee, and remarked aloud—(for the sound of her own voice pleased her mightily):

"After all, there's no place in the world like Paris for a salamanderish creature such as I!"  
Toinette, her maid, appeared, all smiles. (That was one quite charming thing about the French—those smiling faces!)  
"Bon jour, madame. You have slept well?"  
"Like a top, Toinette, and you?"  
The girl shrugged her shoulders, but the good-humored smile still lingered.

"I waited up for madame until half-past three. I thought madame might require me!"  
"Stupid child!" The tone was gently chiding, but Lydia was flattered, none the less. In her own country, such devotion among menials was a trifle rare. "After the 'Follies,' our party visited Montmartre. Heaven! to begin with, where Saint Peter let us in with the famous keys. The waiters were dressed as angels, with trailing wings that would flop into someone or upset the champagne. It was too funny!"

Toinette shrugged again, ever so slightly, turning up the palms of her small, strong hands with a deprecating gesture.  
"We French—we do not think it droll. It is arranged only to please the visitors, madame."

"And to make money," supplemented Lydia cheerfully. "After all, it's hard cash that makes the world go round!"  
Toinette would not venture on this dangerous ground. She asked, "Did you go to 'Hell,' madame, after 'Heaven?' They say that one drinks beer out of human skulls, and sits on coffins, and the devil waits on one!"

"Something of the sort," said Toinette's mistress, laughing. "At Pigalle's and Le Rat Mort, we danced to the 'ravis-sante' music of the concertina. I adored it!"  
A tap sounded at the door and a decorous 'garcon' walked in bearing a small tray with rolls and coffee. He deposited the tray beside the bed and made his exit.

Toinette fluffed up the pillows for Lydia's greater comfort wrapped a negligee about her mistress's shoulder, drew back the blinds and let a flood of morning sunshine into the apartment.  
Lydia propped up in bed with the tray upon her lap, could see the wide sweep of the Place de la Concorde and the shimmer of young green in the exquisite gardens of the Tuilleries.

Soft airs—albeit stimulating—drifted through the open casements, and the myriad sounds of Paris that are like no other noises in the world.

"I adore this town. It goes to my head like wine," announced the lovely lady in the Louis XIV bed. "Pass me the cigarettes, Toinette. Not these. The Russian ones. I like to smoke when drinking coffee."

Toinette did as she was bid, and

## EAST END NEWS

Mr. Fred Tibbs E. Main St., was a business visitor in Dayton Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Laney had as their week end guests Mr. and Mrs. Doc. Hamilton of New Burlington and Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Abram of Akron, O.

Mrs. Frankie Kirk of E. Church St., was the guest Tuesday of friends in Dayton.

The Third Summer Session of the School of Religious Education that is promoted by the Baptist of Ohio a their headquarters, 106 Lexington Ave., Columbus, will continue through August 2 and begin on August 13. This school is open to all people who are



# MODERN BALL GAMES SURVIVAL OF RELIGIOUS RITUALS, SAID

LONDON, July 6.—Modern sport, particularly games played with a ball, are a survival of religious rituals, according to Professor G. Elliot Smith, professor of anatomy in the University of London.

"The particular forms games have assumed," he said, "are the result of historical circumstances. The earliest games that had any staying powers and have survived into modern times were not simply sports but the most serious and sacred occupations of primitive men. Like the drama, they formed part of religious ceremonies that aimed at life-giving."

Professor Smith said that ball games are as old as civilization and possibly as man himself. He attributed man's most distinctive attributes to his skill of hand and eye.

"The natural impulse of the human child to play with a stick and ball is prompted by an instinct as irresistible as that which impels the lion's kitten to acquire by play the skill that is so vital to its existence," he explained.

"The earliest European reference to games that were the ancestors of hockey and stoolball (cricket) are found in an Irish epic, probably written early in the seventeenth century. But many centuries earlier games akin to these were played in the East. In his description of London during the twelfth century, Fitzstephens says that at Shrovetide schoolboys devoted the morning to cockfights under the control of their masters, while in the afternoon all the young men of the city engaged in football, various sports and crafts opposing each other."

In 1409 a proclamation was issued in London forbidding the levy of money for 'foteballe' and 'cockthresnyng' or cockfighting.

"Tug-of-war was a type of ritual conflict to promote the welfare of the gods and the prosperity of the community that was observed more than thirty centuries ago in the East. At one time ball games were used to play in churches at Easter. They are supposed to represent survivals of the ritual dramatic performances and sacred games to promote abundant crops. The general prosperity of the whole community was believed to depend upon the results of these ritual contests. They were originally the sport of kings and success in play was regarded as a token of noble birth."

"In London, however, as early as the beginning of the Middle Ages, they had already lost their mystical significance and had become no more than games for the whole community. In the sixteenth and seventeenth centuries stoolball was a common Easter game. School girls and boys played it for tansy cakes and kisses. It was played, according to Aubrey, by a staff, commonly made of withy, about three and a half feet long, and a ball stuffed very hard with quills and covered with soiled leather." Strutt describes it as a variety game more commonly known as goff or bandy ball, the paganica of the Romans, who also stuffed the ball with feathers. This is generally regarded as the earliest form of cricket.

"There is abundant evidence to prove that the ball games that we now regard as mainly sports are the survivals, much modified in their rules and associations, of ceremonies that originally were devoted for the welfare of the king, upon whom the prosperity of his kingdom was wholly dependent. The original ritual was primarily a dramatic representation of the conflict between the king's followers and his enemies to establish his dominion.

"It has been claimed by E. K. Chambers that the ball is nothing else than the head of the sacrificial animal, and that the game

is the endeavor of each player to get it into his possession, or, if sides are taken, to get it over a particular boundary.

"These serious religious objects were responsible for establishing the hold of games upon the interest of the people or rather gave them an excuse to practice and appreciate skill and enterprise which appeal to the instinctive love of play inbred in all mankind.

"With the extension of Christianity the time arrived when these relics of pagan practices were frowned upon and discouraged, until eventually a wiser attitude obtained recognition and there emerged a true sport free from all religious restrictions, one that encourages the manly qualities and promotes friendly rivalry and good fellowship."

## PLAYS TO FEATURE CHAUTAUQUA HERE TO START THURSDAY

Headlining the Redpath Chautauqua program, opening in Xenia Thursday afternoon, are two effectively contrasted plays—one a serious drama, Channing Pollock's "The Fool," and the other a palatable comedy, in three acts, "Applesauce," written by Barry Connors.

Probably no play in the last two or three years has had the unique back ground and the high praise of critics as has "The Fool." The unconventional theme of the play was unappreciated by producers for some time and its presentation met with astounding success. The play gets its title from the appellation of derision—the fool—which the world casts on the central figure in the play, a young minister in a New York church for his teachings. The play has been witnessed by more than five million people, and has been the subject of sermon and story.

To present "The Fool," the Chautauqua management is bringing to Xenia the largest play cast that has ever been used.

Quite in contrast to "The Fool" but as good in the realm of comedy as the former is in the realm of serious drama, is the bubbling comedy, "Applesauce." This play had a long run of 300 performances at the La Salle Theater, Chicago, and has been outside of New York and Chicago only since May.

The play has a delightful light love theme and clever lines.

"The Fool" will be presented Friday evening and "Applesauce" next Tuesday evening. Both plays will be presented by casts brought directly from New York City.

The Chautauqua tent arrived late Tuesday afternoon and is being set up for the opening program Thursday afternoon, which will be offered by Harold Lewis and his Symphony Players, a group of New York musicians.

Mrs. Walter Dean, chairman of the ticket committee, asks all guarantees to turn in their money from ticket sales Wednesday or Thursday.

## ALDINE COMPANY TO PUBLISH BALLOTS

Contract for printing of 10,000 Republican, 4,000 Democratic and 14,000 state amendment ballots for the August 10 primary election in Greene County, was awarded to the Aldine Publishing Co. at a meeting of the board of elections Tuesday night.

Bld of Elections Printing Co. was the only other submitted to the board.

The state amendment upon which supporters of both parties will cast votes in reference to a levy for condemning land for public improvements.

Five withdrawals of candidates for the Republican County Central Committee were also accepted by the board. Withdrawals are those of George Swartz, J. H. Haverstick and Jesse Anderson from Xenia first ward; W. B. Corry from Miami Twp., and J. F. Gordon, Jamestown.

## FIVE BEST RADIO FEATURES

WJZ, New York, (454), and WGY, Schenectady, (380), 8.25 p. m. EDT.—Opening stadium concert, New York, Philharmonic orchestra.

WOC, Davenport, (484), 9.30 p. m. CST.—Organ recital, by Erwin Swinell.

WMAQ, Chicago, (448), 9 p. m. CDT.—WMAQ Players, (448), 9 p. m. CDT.—Light opera "The Red Hussar," WEAF Light Opera Co.

WLW, Cincinnati, (422), 8 p. m. CDT.—Music College concert.

## VETERAN KILLED

RAVENNA, O., July 7.—Waggon Bowen, 86, a civil war veteran is dead and his wife aged 74 was near death here today as the result of an automobile accident near Portage County fair grounds late yesterday.

Girl Couldn't Stand Clothes To Touch Her

"My father got me a bottle of Mayr's for stomach trouble, and I am feeling so much better since taking it. My stomach was so painful I couldn't stand my clothes to touch me." It is a simple harmless preparation, that removes the catarrhal mucus from the intestinal tract and allays the inflammation which causes practically all stomach, liver and intestinal ailments including appendicitis. One dose will convince or money refunded.

Sayre's Drug Store and druggists everywhere, adv.

## On The Air From Cincinnati

Station WSAI:  
6:45—Chime concert.  
7—New York music.  
7:30—Saxophone octette.  
11:15—String quartet.  
Station WKRC:  
6—Orchestra.  
8—Book review.  
8:15—Orchestra.  
9—Quartet.  
12—Popular songs.  
12:30—Orchestra.  
Station WLW:  
7—Orchestra.  
7:30—Farmer's talk.  
7:40—Concert.  
8—Concert band.  
10—Orchestra.  
11—Elk syncopators.

## CEDARVILLE

Miss Alice McCartney became the bride of Mr. Marvin Borst, athletic coach at Cedarville College next year. The wedding took place at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. McCartney, Park Place, Springfield, O., Wednesday at 1:30 p. m. The bride and groom left some time during the afternoon by motor for a trip East.

Rev. and Mrs. LeClerc Markle returned home last week after their honeymoon at the Lakes and spent a few days with the parents of Mrs. Markle, Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Davis. They left the latter part of the week for their new home in Gettysburg, O.

Misses Ruth Burns, Eleanor Johnson and Lucile Ritenour left last week for Chautauqua, N. Y., where they will spend the summer. Mr. Herbert Whittington, agent at the Pennsylvania station, with his family returned home last week after a trip to New Orleans, El Paso, Texas and Kansas City.

Mrs. W. L. Clemens was hostess to the members of the Wednesday afternoon Club last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. McMillan and little son have returned home from Cleveland where they have been visiting relatives.

Miss Ruth Johnson and child, of Cincinnati, have been visiting with her grandmother, Mrs. Lucy McClellan for several days.

Mrs. Fred Dobbin and Mrs. Bert Turner have issued invitations to a large number of their lady friends to a reception given at the home of Mrs. Dobbin, Friday afternoon at 2 p. m. honoring their sister, Mrs. Raymond Bull, who is a recent bride.

Miss Ruth Marshall accompanied Miss E. F. Stevens and daughters to their home in Pleasant Ridge, Cincinnati, for a few days visit.

The Hagar Straw Board and Paper Company will close down the plant just as soon as the steel arrives for the new roof that is to be put on. The roof will be of steel construction with the best materials for durability. Most of the employees will have employment during the time repairs are to be made.

John Davis left last Thursday for Kingman, O., where he enters upon his duties as Hughes-Smith instructor in the centralized school there.

Mrs. Harry Waddle and son, Merle, of Columbus, are visiting with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Tarbox.

Rev. W. W. Condon, of Urichsville, O., was the recent guest of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Watt.

Prof. John A. Talcott will again head the department of music at Cedarville College this coming year. This will be Mr. Talcott's fourth year with the college. He will take the directorship of music at Antioch College next year.

Dr. W. R. McChesney gave a patriotic address Sunday afternoon at Piqua at a union meeting of the churches in that city. 30,000 people attended the open air meeting.

Dr. Leo Anderson left by motor Saturday for Martinsville, Ind., where he was joined by his wife who will return home with him. Mrs. Anderson has been at Martinsville where she has been taking treatment at the Whiting Sanitarium.

Rev. W. P. Harriman addressed the members of the Xenia Rotary Club at the Elks' Club at noon luncheon on Tuesday. He spoke on the "The Spirit of America."

Miss Winifred Spencer leaves Wednesday for an extended trip through Canada and the east. While away she will visit Montreal, Toronto, Boston, New York City and the Sesqui-Centennial at Philadelphia.

## JAMESTOWN

CONGREGATION MEETS

On Thursday evening the members of the congregation of the United Presbyterian Church, held their annual business and social meeting at the church. Mr. Ralph G. George presided. The affair very informal throughout. The important business matter discussed was some essential repairs to be made on the parsonage, after which a social time was enjoyed, which included the serving of

ices and cake. A good representation was in attendance.

Mrs. Martha Ellis and four children left on Friday for Detroit, where they will visit with friends for a couple of weeks. They motored through with Mrs. Ellis brother-in-law, Mr. Earl Ford.

Mr. Dwight Gray, who is taking a summer course of study, at the O. S. U. at Columbus, spent the week end, including the Fourth with the home folks here.

Mrs. James Roberts visited with her sister, Mrs. Fannie Kemper and family, near Alpha, last week.

Miss Eloise Farquhar, of the M. E. Bible School, liked to the school lawn, south of town on the James-town-Bowersville Pike, on Wednesday afternoon, with her class of small girls, where they enjoyed a picnic supper and an outing on the green.

Mr. Hughes Moyer, of Canton, joined his family at the home of Attorney W. A. Paxson, on Saturday. They left via Springfield and Columbus, where they visited with relatives of Mr. Moyer.

Mrs. Okie Spahr and daughter, Miss Helen, visited with relatives near Alpha, the first of the week.

Mr. Milton Cory had for his guests last week Mr. Phillip Cadman, of Keystone Heights, Fla., Mr. Andre Odebercht, of Dennison University, a school friend of Mr. Cory.

During Mrs. Hughes Moyer's visit in Jamestown, she with her daughter, Miss Dorothy, were the guests for a couple of days of Mrs. David Selsar and daughter, Miss Della, of near London.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Thompson have had for their guests, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Myers and son Edward, of Cleveland.

Mrs. Frank Lackey opened her home on Friday afternoon to receive the members of the Women's Missionary Society of the United Presbyterian Church. The session was characterized as a patriotic temperance day. Mrs. L. L. Gray presided. The devotions were led by Miss Margaret Gilcrest. Responses to roll call were "Temperance Items." After a short business session the time was given to Miss Mary E. Egan, of Xenia, for an address, who Europe, recently returned from the countries of England, France, Holland and Italy. She spoke in her usual entertaining manner. Her subject was "The World's Peace, and The World's Prohibition." She vividly contrasted the conditions in those countries with those of our own America and very favorable to the United States. The Lackey home took on the air of the patriotic season, with flags and flowers, and was carried out in the refreshments. The napkins carried the national colors, and each one was presented with a small flag. The Misses Eleanor, Elizabeth, Martha Lackey, and Miss Martha Dean, served the refreshment course. Forty five thus enjoyed the hospitality of the Lackey home.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Buckles and son Wayne, Dayton, were Sunday guests at the home of Mr. Mrs. H. D. Buckles.

Acquaintances here of Mr. Chesler C. Cole were sorry to learn of his sudden passing away, at his home at Carlisle, Ky. He was quite well known having been associated in business with his brother, the late W. H. Cole, who conducted a dry goods store in Jamestown for a number of years. After his death the goods were disposed of and C. C. Cole retained the ownership of the large store room on North Limestone St. Mr. Cole was expected to come here to look after business interests, when the message came announcing his death. He is survived by two daughters who reside in Carlisle, his wife having preceded him in death some time ago.

On Wednesday afternoon Mrs. L. L. Gray entertained the members of the Rural Improvement Club at the parsonage. This was the annual guest day.

Mr. E. J. Sapp, who conducts a shoe store here, spent from Saturday morning until Tuesday at his home in Wilmington, enjoying the Fourth with his family.

The Misses Anna and Maybelle Robb, the well known teachers, have gone to Ann Arbor, Mich., where they will take a summer course of study.

Mr. Herbert S. Snyder will begin his pastorate with the Church of Christ on Sunday, the eleventh. Mr. Snyder is moving with his family to Jamestown this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Smith have had for their guests, Mr. and Mrs.

H. B. Stacy, of Miami, Fla. They motored through and went from here to Cleveland to visit with their son, Harry Stacy, and family, and will spend the summer in the North, returning South this fall.

Jamestown friends of the Rev. and Mrs. W. M. Lorimer, of West Alexander, Pa., were pleased to receive the announcement of the marriage of their eldest daughter, Miss Lucille Knox, to Mr. Glen Adams Evans, also of West Alexander. The Rev. Lorimer held the pastorate of the Jamestown United Presbyterian Church, preceding the Rev. Gray. Mrs. Evans is a graduate of the Jamestown High School, and later graduated from Monmouth College, Monmouth, Ill. Felicitations are being extended to Mr. and Mrs. Evans by friends here.

The Woman's Missionary Society of the Church of Christ, will have their July meeting on Thursday p. m. at the church. Mrs. W. Johnson will preside. Miss Clara Glass will have charge of the program. The topic for discussion is, "The Supremacy of the Local Church."

The Misses Ruth Turnbull and Mabelle Walker, of Cincinnati, spent the week end with the home folks.

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Liston and children, Margaret and Fred, of Reardon, Ohio, have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Thompson.

At a recent meeting of the Jamestown board of education, the roster of teachers was completed for the school year of '26-27, by electing Miss Josephine Randall, of Cedarville, as a teacher, in the high school.

Miss Margaret Gilcrest and Mrs. Edwin Fisher have been spending a few days in Newark with their brother John and family, whose little daughter Frances returned home, after a week's visit here with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Buckles had for their week end guests, including the Fourth, Carl C. Buckles and family, of Dearborn, Mich., and Otto Thorpe and family, of Columbus.

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Mr. E. J. Sapp, who conducts a shoe store here, spent from Saturday morning until Tuesday at his home in Wilmington, enjoying the Fourth with his family.

The Misses Anna and Maybelle Robb, the well known teachers, have gone to Ann Arbor, Mich., where they will take a summer course of study.

Mr. Herbert S. Snyder will begin his pastorate with the Church of Christ on Sunday, the eleventh. Mr. Snyder is moving with his family to Jamestown this week.

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# Daily Market News

## LIVE STOCK

### DAYTON

Receipts, 5 cars; market, steady.  
Heavies, 200-275, \$14.45  
Medium, 130-200, \$14.65  
Extreme Heavies, \$14.20  
Sows, \$10.12  
Pigs, 140 lbs. down, \$12.14  
Stags, \$8.11

### CATTLE

Receipts, light; market, slow to steady.

### SHEEP

Best fat steers, 8.50@9.00  
Veal calves, \$8.12  
Medium butcher steers, 7.00@8.00  
Medium butchers, 6.00@7.00  
Best butcher heifers, 7.00@8.50  
Best fat cows, 5.00@6.50  
Bologna cows, 3.00@4.00  
Medium cows, 4.00@5.00  
Bulls, 5.00@5.50  
Spring lambs, \$10.13  
Sheep, 2.00@6.00

### XENIA

(J. W. Faulkner)

(Corrected Daily)

Hogs—Heavies, \$14.00; medium

## BOWERSVILLE IDLE DUE TO WET GROUNDS

Because the weatherman's promise of rain was fulfilled, the Bowersville Bayliffs were idle Sunday afternoon due to wet grounds.

Rain fell to such an extent the diamond was an imitation lake, and a number of disappointed fans were turned away.

Weather permitting, the Bayliffs will return to their uniforms in an engagement with the Springfield Park Athletics next Sunday afternoon at 2 p. m., standard time, at Bowersville.

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\$14.25; pigs, \$14.25; sows, \$11; stags, \$6.  
Cattle—Butcher steers, \$7.08; butcher heifers, \$6.60; stock heifers, \$5.00; cows, \$4.05; bologna cows, \$2.03; bulls, \$4.05.

## GRAIN

Flour and Grain  
(By the Durst Milling Co.)  
(Prices being paid for grain at mill.)  
Wheat, No. 1, New, \$1.30.  
Rye, No. 2, 70c per bu.  
Corn, 85c per 100 lbs.  
Oats, per bu., 35c.

## XENIA

(By the DeWine Milling Co.)  
(Buying Price)  
No. 2, Rye, 70c.  
Flakey wheat bran, \$2.00 cwt.  
No. 1, Timothy Hay, \$17.  
No. 1, light mixed hay, baled \$16.  
New Yellow corn, 85c per 100.  
No. 2 Red Winter Wheat, \$1.40.  
Middlings, \$2.00 cwt.  
No. 2, New White Oats, 35c.

## PRODUCE

CLEVELAND PRODUCE  
POULTRY:  
Heavy fowls, 28c@29c.  
Leghorn fowls, 26c@27c.  
Leghorn broilers, 30c@32c.  
Heavy broilers, 40c@42c.  
Ducks 17c@18c.  
Young ducks, 30c@33c.  
Old ducks, 25c@28c.  
BUTTER:  
Extra in tub lots, 42c@42½c.  
Extra firsts, 40c@41c.  
First, 38c@39c.  
Packing stocks, 28c.  
EGGS:  
Extra, 31½c.  
Extra firsts, 30½c.  
Firsts, 28c@28½c.  
Ordinary firsts, 27½c.  
CHEESE:  
Old York State—old 30c@32c; new 24c@25c.  
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## LEGISLATION FOR TRACTION COMPANY EXPECTED TO PASS

Unless an eleventh hour hitch occurs, a development that is unexpected, the ordinance now on its first reading, granting the Dayton, Springfield and Xenia Southern Railway Co., a twenty-year renewal of its city franchise, is scheduled for passage by City Commission on Thursday night.

The dispute between the city and traction people over the financial end of reconstructing the discarded city street car route was adjusted satisfactorily at a recent joint conference with Federal Judge Smith Hickenlooper in Dayton. The car company agreed to meet demands of the commission.

There is now no obstacle in the way of passage of the franchise measure Thursday.

Ordinance will become effective in thirty days from date of passage and rebuilding of S. Detroit St. between the rails on the company's right-of-way will then begin. Paving work will probably be completed early this fall.

## POSTPONE QUOIT CLUB OPENING

Formal opening of the Xenia Quoit Club grounds on E. Market St., has been postponed for two weeks in order to get the grounds in first class condition for the entertainment planned, according to an announcement Tuesday.

Date of the opening was originally tentatively set for Wednesday night, June 7.

An entertaining opening is being outlined by officers of the club. A Dayton team will probably appear for a match and in addition the committee has arranged for a lawn fete and a band concert by the Greene County Community band.

## ANNOUNCE EXAM FOR POSTAL POSITION

United States Civil Service Commission announces an open competitive examination for the positions of clerk and carrier at the Xenia Postoffice will be held at the federal building this city, soon, the date to be announced later.

Final date of submitting applications is August 11, 1926.

Application blanks and further information on the examination may be had by addressing the local postoffice. Examination is open to both men and women.

## YELLOW SPRINGS

The Daily Vacation Bible School which has been in session in the Presbyterian Church for the past five weeks closed Friday with a special program and exhibition of the work that has been done during this time. Much credit is due Mrs. William Hardman, who was in charge of the school assisted by Sunday School workers from the Presbyterian and Methodist Churches.

A program of aesthetic dancing and pantomimes will be given Friday at 8:00 p. m., at the Yellow

Springs Opera House for the benefit of the public library. Miss Dorothy Hartnett, of Springfield, will have charge of the program assisted by local talent.

Camp Knolls of the Y. W. C. A. opened Wednesday for the summer. The camp is located on the Grinnell Road about two miles from Yellow Springs. Several of the young girls from town are enjoying an outing at the camp.

Dr. and Mrs. L. R. Gibbs and children, Robert and Catherine, are spending the summer in Winthrop, Mass. During their absence Mr. and Mrs. Stewart L. Tatum, of Springfield, are occupying their home in the lawn.

Dr. A. W. Vickers, of Madison, Georgia and his daughter, Mrs. H. P. Mallory and little son, Pierce, of Orlando, Florida, spent a few days the past week with Miss Irene Hawes. The trip was made by automobile. They left for their home Sunday.

Friends and relatives of Mrs. Joe Carper (nee Miss Zella Allen) met at her home Wednesday noon and served a covered dish dinner. After the dinner was over the guests presented Mrs. Carper with a number of beautiful and useful gifts. There were about thirty present.

Mr. and Mrs. Dana Grove and daughters, Misses Helen and Margaret, of Marlow, Alabama, who have been visiting Mrs. T. W. Neff left Tuesday for a trip through the East.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Reinwald and little son, of Springfield, spent the week-end with Mrs. Reinwald's aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Currie.

Miss Florence Pfaff, of Dayton, spent Sunday and Monday with the Misses Oster.

Miss Clara Hirst is visiting relatives in Boston, Mass.

Madden Ralston, of Dayton, spent the week-end with his parents, Dr. and Mrs. O. C. Ralston.

Mrs. Walter Morgeson and little daughter, Jean, of Chicago, are the guests of her mother, Mrs. J. H. Funderburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Claud Smith and children, of Charleston, West Va., motored here Saturday to spend the 4th with Mrs. Smith's sister, Mrs. Ralph Higgins.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Howell are spending two weeks at Ocean Beach.

Mrs. Martha Sutton, of Dayton, spent Friday with Mrs. Norah Fry and Miss Edith Fry.

## JUICE OF LEMON WHITENS THE SKIN

The only harmless way to bleach the skin white is to mix the juice of two lemons with three ounces of Orchard White, which any drug-gist will supply for a few cents. Shake well in a bottle, and you have a whole quart of the most wonderful skin whitener, softener and beautifier. Massage this sweetly fragrant lemon bleach into the face, neck, arms and hands. It can not irritate, famous stage beauties use it to bring that clear, youthful skin and rosy-white complexion; also as a freckle, sunburn and tan bleach. You must mix this remarkable lotion yourself. It can not be bought ready to use because it acts best immediately after it is prepared. —Adv.



## July Clearance Sale Of Pillow Cases & Sheets

### HEM STITCHED

50c Value, 42x36 in. Cases, Special	45c
60c Value, 42x36 in. Cases, Special	55c
\$1.75 Value, 63x90 in. Sheets, Special	\$1.59
\$2.00 Value, 81x90 in. Sheets, Special	\$1.79
\$2.25 Value, 81x99 in. Sheets, Special	\$1.95
40c Value, 42x36 in. Belhaven P. H. Cases, Special	33c
50c Value, 42x36 in. Belhaven H. S. Cases, Special	39c
25c Value, 42x36 in. Bleached Cases, Special, 2 for	43c
25c Value, 42x36 in. Unbleached Cases, Special, 2 for	43c
36 or 40 in. Tubing, Special	33c
42 or 45 in. Tubing, Special	39c
\$1.25 Porch Pillows, Cretonne Covered	95c
59c Porch Pillows, Cretonne Covered	49c

## Shoe Department

### JULY SALE OF SUMMER FOOT WEAR

Positively no exchanges or approvals. About 350 pair of the season's best styles, of course the sizes are badly broken, but your size may be here. They are worth trying for at this price.

**\$3.95**

This lot is as follows: 30 pairs of tans, values up to \$7.50. The styles are one strap pumps, two strap pumps, eden ties and a few oxfords.

The remaining broken lots will go on sale at \$4.95 regardless of their former price. This lot consists of Patent One Straps, Patent Two Straps, Patent Pumps, Satin Pumps in High and Low Heels, and all of our Blonde and Gray Kid Pumps and One Straps. In fact, you can almost take your choice of any shoe in our entire stock with the exception of a few staple numbers at

**\$4.95**

A number of Children's and Misses' Shoes on tables at less than cost.

Jobe Brothers

SEE  
OUR  
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SHOP  
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# JOBES JULY CLEARANCE SALE

## Our 37th Annual Summer Clearance Sale

You will find Special Prices on our regular stock of merchandise. No goods bought especially for this Sale. Absolutely no Seconds or Irregulars. Same policy of satisfaction guarantee as usual. At these reduced prices all goods will be sold for cash—NO CHARGES.

No change in service, goods delivered, telephone orders sent C. O. D.

**Sale Starts Thursday Morning July 8th. at 8:15 and continues until 9 P. M. Saturday July 17th.**

### JULY SALE OF HOSIERY

65c Silk and Fibre Hose in all wanted shades	49c
\$1.00 Silk and Rayon-Puncture Proof—Our promise of full satisfaction or a new pair, Special	89c
\$1.50 Full Fashioned Pure Thread Silk—Wayne Knit No. 793	\$1.29
\$2.00 Full Fashioned Pure Thread Silk—Wayne Knit No. 700	\$1.69
\$2.50 No. 300 That Heavy Silk Full Fashioned Gordon Hose	\$1.95

### CHIFFON SILK HOSE

\$1.50 Wayne Knit No. No. 798 Full Fashioned	\$1.29
\$2.00 Gordon No. 515 Full Fashioned	\$1.69

You buy Chiffon Silk Hose at your own risk.

### CHILDREN'S HOSE

Children's White Hose. Sizes 8 to 9 1-2.	
To clean up	9c
Children's Socks. Sizes 6 to 7 1-2. 35c values.	
3 pair for	85c
Children's Socks. Half Price. 25c values. 2 pair for	25c
Fancy Shirred Ribbon Garters. July Special, pair	39c

### SILK SCARFS REDUCED FOR JULY SALE

\$2.95 values. Special	\$2.49
\$3.95 values. Special	\$3.29
\$4.95 values. Special	\$3.95

### CHINESE PARASOLS SHOWER PROOF

\$1.00 Children's Sizes	89c
\$1.50 Women's Sizes	\$1.29
Japanese Parasols—	
39c Children's Sizes	33c
65c Children's Sizes	53c
75c Women's Sizes	69c
\$1.00 Women's Sizes	89c
59c Crepe de Chine Handkerchiefs	49c

### PURSE SPECIAL

One lot \$1.25 and \$1.95 values. Special	95c
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### TOOLED LEATHER GOODS AT 1-3 OFF

This lot consists of our entire stock of Men's Bill Folds, Key Cases, Women's Small Purses, Bobby Comb and Cases and about six Women's Hand Bags ranging in price from

**\$10. to \$22.50**

### WOMEN'S BEAD BAGS

Reduced in Price for July Sale—	
\$2.00 Values, Sale Price	\$1.49
\$4.95 Values, Sale Price	\$3.95
\$6.50 Values, Sale Price	\$4.95

### NOTION SPECIALS

5c Hair Nets, dozen	39c
10c Hair Nets, dozen	95c
10c Palm Leaf Fans	7c
25c Woven Grass Fans	19c
10c Roll Toilet Paper, 7 rolls for	50c
25c Cando Silver Polish	19c
60c Mufti	49c

### DELONG'S PINS—SAFETY PINS—SNAPS— HOOKS AND EYES OR HAIR PINS

10c VALUES

**7c.**

Mile End Mercerized Darning Cotton, 45 yd. Spool	
Black or Colors, 3 for	10c

### BEDDING AND DRAPERY DEPARTMENT JULY SALE SPECIALS

#### BED SPREADS

Cotton or Rayon—in the right sizes and colors. Rose, Blue, Gold, Lavender—	
\$1.95 Values, Stripe 81x90. Special	\$1.49
\$2.00 Values, Plain 63x90. Special	\$1.79
\$2.50 Values, Plain 81x90. Special	\$2.25
\$2.95 Values, Stripe 81x105. Special	\$2.39
\$3.50 Value, Stripe 81x108. Special	\$2.95
\$5.50 Value, Rayon 81x105. Special	\$4.95
\$10.95 Rayon Spread, 90x108. Special	\$7.95

#### BROWN SHEETING

Truth or Lockwood Quality—	
55c Grade, 2 yd. Wide, Special, yard	47c
60c Grade, 2 1-4 Wide, Special, yard	53c
65c Grade, 2 1-2 yd. Wide, Special, yard	57c

#### BLEACHED SHEETING

55c Truth 1 3-4 yds. Wide, Special, yd.	49c
65c Truth, 2 yds. Wide, Special, yd.	57c
70c Truth 2 1-4 yd. Wide, Special, yd.	63c
75c Truth 2 1-2 yds. Wide, Special, yd.	67c
70c Pequot, 2 yds. Wide, Special, yd.	63c
75c Pacific, 2 1-4 yds. Wide, Special, yd.	67c
80c Pacific, 2 1-2 yds. Wide, Special, yd.	73c
\$1.25 Value, 81x90 Seamless Bleached Sheets	95c

### FRUIT OF THE LOOM SHEETS AND PILLOW CASES—PLAIN HEMMED

40c Value, 42x36 in. Cases, Special	35c
50c Value, 45x36 in. Cases, Special	45c
\$1.50 Value, 63x90 in. Sheets, Special	\$1.35
\$1.75 Value, 81x90 in. Sheets, Special	\$1.59
\$2.00 Value, 81x90 in. Sheets, Special	\$1.79

### Ready to Wear at July Sale Prices

25 Women's Silk Dresses, Plain and Printed. Sale Price	\$5.00
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Summer Silk Dresses. Plain and Printed Crepes. Values up to \$19.75. Sale Price	\$8.95
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Mid-Summer Dresses. Printed Crepes, Striped Crepe de Chines and Plain Wash Crepes. Wonderful Values at this price.	\$12.75
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Extra Special Broken Lot of Afternoon Dresses. All Over Beaded, Printed Chiffons, Flat Crepes and Rajahs. Values up to \$39.75	\$14.75
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Women's Regular and Stout Dresses. Sizes 38 to 46 and 16 to 44. Values up to \$45. Sale Price	\$24.75
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One Group of Dresses Regular and Stout. Dressy Afternoon and Street Dresses, Light and Dark Colors. Values to \$29.75	\$19.75
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Women's Summer Dresses of Printed Voiles. Values to \$4.95	\$3.95
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Women's Cotton Voile Dresses. Values up to \$3.95. Sale Price	\$2.95
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One lot of Porch Dresses. Values up to \$2.95. Sale Price	\$1.00
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### WOMEN'S COATS

Women's Spring Coats. Novelties, Mixtures and Plain. Sale Price	\$5.00
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One group of Plaid and Novelty Mixtures. These coats sold up to \$19.75. Sale Price	\$10.00
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One group of Sport and Dress Coats. Values up to \$39.75. Sale Price	\$14.75
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One Lot of Dress Coats. Values up to \$75.00. Sale Price	\$25.00
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Extra Size Stout Coats. Plain Twill Coats. Values up to \$25.00. Sale Price	\$14.75
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One Lot of Stout Coats. Values up to \$39.75. Sale Price	\$19.75
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One Group of Fine Twill Coats. Values up to \$49.75. Sale Price	\$25.00
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Misses' Novelty Tweed Suits. To Close out at	\$10.00
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### CHILDREN'S SPRING COATS AT

\$19.75 Coats to go for	\$9.88
\$15.00 Coats to go for	\$7.50
\$10.00 Coats to go for	\$5.00
\$8.50 Coats to go for	\$4.25

### One Table Of Odds and Ends

Values up to \$10.00

Consisting of Infants' White Coats and Capes. Long or Short, Children's White Dresses. Size 8 to 12. Children's Khaki Play and Middy Suits, White Silk Petticoats, Girls' Sweaters, Bungalow Aprons, Rain Capes, Children's Dresses. Size 7 to 14. Women's Kimonos, Women's Smocks and Child Voile Dresses. Sizes 2 to 6. Your choice while they last

**\$1.00**

### JULY SALE OF FURS

Stone Martin and Natural for Scarfs. Values to \$35.00. Sale Price	\$25.00
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Natural Squirrel or Fitch Scarfs. \$15.00 values for	\$10.00
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Natural Squirrel Scarfs. \$10.00 values for	\$7.95
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Stone Martin Opossum \$7.95 values for	\$5.00
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### JULY SALE OF MILLINERY

One group of fine hats in black and colors. Values up to \$10.00. Sale Price	\$3.95
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One Group of Hats in Felts and Straws. Values up to \$7.50. Sale Price	\$1.95
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Our entire stock of fine flowers at

### HALF PRICE

One lot of Soiled Baby Caps. Values up to \$2.00. Sale Price	25c
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### DRESS GOODS SPECIALS

85c 12 MME. Pongee, Special, yd.	69c
\$1.25 14 MME. Pongee, Special, yd.	95c
\$1.50 16 MME. Pongee, Special, yd.	\$1.29

### EXTRA SPECIAL

Final Clearance of Printed Silks. Values up to \$3.50 in Crepe de Chines, Flat Crepes, Radiums and Georgettes—Sale Price

**\$1.49**

\$2.00 Plain Georgettes. Sale Price	\$1.69
\$2.50 Washable Crepe de Chine. Sale Price	\$2.19
\$2.00 Plain Georgettes. Sale Price	\$1.69
\$1.79 Striped Tub Silks. Sale Price	\$1.49
85c Rayon Rajah Silk. Sale Price	69c
95c and \$1.00 Royalpacs Plain and Fancy	69c

### HOUSEHOLD LINENS AND TOWELS

\$1.00 Merc. Table Damask, 72 in.	89c
75c Merc. Table Damask, 64 in.	69c
\$2.00 Pure Linen Bleached, 70 in.	\$1.49
\$5.50 Napkins to Match, 20 in. Dozen	\$4.00
29c Colored Border Huck Towels	23c
35c Colored Border Huck Towels	29c
59c Hemstitched Linen, Huck Towels	49c
29c Turkish Towels	23c
39c Turkish Towels	33c
49c Turkish Towels	43c
59c Turkish Towels	49c
69c Turkish Towels	63c

### WASH GOODS

\$1.00 ad \$1.25 Silk and Cotton Crepes	79c
50c Voiles in New Summer Patterns	39c
69c Cotton Charmeuse Prints	59c
\$1.00 Plain Linen Suitings	89c
25c Jap Crepes—Plain	19c
40c Plain Voiles	29c
65c Plain Voiles	59c
50c Dimity Prints	39c
79c Shirting Stripes	59c
Lingerie Cloths—	
50c Blue Bird Mull in colors	39c
39c Jersey Voile in Colors	29c
50c Plisse Crepe 36 in. in colors	39c
22 1-2c Percales, Light or Dark	19c
25c Percales, Light Prints	22c
27 1-2c Percales, Light or Dark	25c
29c Laddie Cloth	25c
20c Everett Cheviot Shirting	17c
25c Gingham, Plain or Plaids	19c
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20c Bleached Muslin	17c
25c Bleached Muslin	21c
35c Blue Bird Mull	29c
40c Blue Bird Mull	33c
17 1-2c Unbleached Muslin	15c
20c Unbleached Muslin	17c

### CRASH TOWELING

50c Bleached Linen	39c
40c Bleached Linen	33c
35c Bleached Linen	29c
27 1-2c Bleached Linen	23c
25c Absorbent Cotton Toweling	19c
50c Feather Ticking	39c
22 1-2c Straw Ticking	19c



# HEAVY RAIN STORM SWEEPS STATE

## Xenian Reported Missing; Launch Search

### BOOKKEEPER WALKS FROM OFFICE WHILE STORM SWEEPS CITY

Will Employ Radio In Search--Missing Man Took Auto

Police are searching for Clarence Stephenson, 40, Fairground Road, head bookkeeper for The Eavey Co., wholesale grocers, Detroit and Third Sts., missing for the last twenty-four hours.

Stephenson walked out of the company's office at 1:30 p. m. Tuesday when a severe rain and electrical storm was at its height and has not been seen since.

His absence was first noticed by his wife who missed him when he failed to return at the regular hour for the evening meal. Hurried inquiries were without success and she notified police.

His Dodge touring car is also missing. He drove to work in the machine and the supposition is that, affected in some way mentally by the storm, he walked from the office, entered his car and drove away.

Police were having cards bearing his description and that of his auto printed Wednesday to send to nearby cities in an effort to broaden the scope of search.

It is probable his description may also be broadcast from a Cincinnati radio station.

Stephenson, it is learned, was a man of good habits, having a reserved, quiet nature, never had trouble and was considered a valued employee. He has been connected with Eavey Co. for the past three or four years, coming to Xenia from Indiana.

W. R. Harner, official of the company, is taking an active part in the search. Working on the assumption Stephenson had possibly returned to the home of his mother in Portland, Ind., Mr. Harner communicated with his mother but learned her son had not gone there.

Stephenson is described as being of medium height, weighing about 145 pounds, with dark hair and eyes. When last seen he wore a dark blue suit with a fine white pin stripe, gray felt hat and tan shoes.

The Dodge touring car also missing bears license number 161-051 and engine number 965,033. It is a 1923 model. His books showed no discrepancies.

### BOARD TURNS DOWN SUPERVISION PLEA

Consideration of the employment of an assistant county school superintendent was given by Greene County Board of Education members, Tuesday, among the important matters brought up at the meeting in offices of Superintendent H. C. Aultman.

C. E. Bone, representing Xenia Twp. Board of Education, made the request that the supervision, which has been in charge of the assistant county superintendent, be continued as before.

After lengthy conference with Mr. Bone a motion prevailed by unanimous vote, that the present county superintendent, Mr. Aultman, be instructed to give such time to supervision in Xenia Twp., as may be deemed necessary and advisable by the county board and to any other township requesting such supervision. Should the demand for supervision in the several remaining townships be such as to require an assistant county superintendent, the board will then make provision. Otherwise they will not, it was decided.

It will be recalled that all townships now, except Xenia Twp. and Silvercreek Twp. have their own local superintendent and the matter will no doubt be deferred until a majority of these should ask for an extra superintendent, since the salary for the same must be levied on all townships alike.

### CANDIDATE BUSY

COLUMBUS, O., July 7.—Miss Florence E. Allen, Cleveland, associate justice of the Ohio Supreme Court, is going to be kept busy during the five weeks remaining before the primary election, in her campaign for the Democratic nomination for U. S. Senator.

Miss Allen already has fifteen speaking engagements for this month.

### SEEK RE-ELECTION

COLUMBUS, July 7.—Thirteen of the thirty-five members of the present Ohio Senate are not seeking re-election, according to the roster of candidates prepared by the Senate Clerk. Those retiring voluntarily include eleven Republicans and two Democrats who comprised the minority delegation.

## CHILD DROWNS IN CISTERN

Mussolini and King Study Farm Problems



Premier Mussolini (center) and King Victor Emmanuel (right) visited Italian farmers to keep in touch with agricultural conditions.

### ARRESTS RESULT IN DISCOVERY OF LOST GIRLS IN CHICAGO

Fake Beauty Contest Agency Unearthed By Police

CHICAGO, July 7.—Three white men and two negroes now are accused in statements of thirty-seven white girls and young women who were lured to a hotel by a beauty contest advertisement. In the course of preparation for their work the girls learned it was required that they be examined by the two negroes as to their physical fitness. Authorities believe they have struck a trail in the search for many girls reported missing in recent months.

More than 300 names of girls with addresses and telephone numbers, were found when the room at the hotel was raided. Detectives found several photographs of girls who had posed for the negroes, Harris Holmes, 39 years old and Walter Crawford, 24.

The white men booked by police are Vernon Omdell, 27, draftsman, who says he sought a "side line" with money in it; Joe H. Williams, 25, street car conductor, whose contributions to the enterprise, it is alleged, entitled him to its Presidency, and a man named Briggs, who has not been apprehended.

Omdell says Williams and Briggs came to him, according to police, and collected \$47 toward the success of the Advertisement Products Company adventure, with beauty contests as a side issue. He was made manager, it is said, while Williams, who contributed \$60 was made President.

Two girls who went to the hotel in answer to the advertisement said they were first required to pay \$3 for dancing lessons. When they declined drinks they were loaded into a car, taken to a point near their homes and put out. Their parents then notified police and the raid followed.

### MISSING MAN FOUND HANGED IN DRESS

CHICAGO, July 7.—The body of George Dauphin, 51 years old, married, who had been missing for three weeks, was found today hanging in the carpenter shop of his brother. The shop had not been visited during that time, because the brother had no work there, odor causing the finding today.

A mysterious angle of the hanging is that Dauphin's body was dressed in woman's clothing, even to wig, suede shoes and form reducing appliances. Due to the long time between death and finding the body was almost unrecognizable.

Authorities are investigating on the theory that it may be a case of murder instead of self-destruction. The brothers and widow are unable to give any explanation of the mysterious death and the grotesque garb.

### ROBBERS BIND MEN AND BLOW UP SAFE

PERTH AMBOY, N. Y., July 7.—Ten robbers this morning invaded the plant of Castle Ice Cream Company on the outskirts of the town and overpowered the six employees on duty.

The men were bound and placed in a rear room, while the robbers blew open the office safe. Between \$20,000 and \$30,000 was taken. The robbers escaped. Later on one of the victims managed to loosen his bonds and notify police.

### TELEPHONE LINES SUFFER WHEN SEVERE STORM STRIKES XENIA

Service Interrupted When Lightning Burns Out Cable—Toll Lines Cut Off—Darkness Accompanies Rain

For thirty minutes Xenia and vicinity experienced probably the most severe electrical and rain storm of the season Tuesday afternoon, although slight damage was reported.

Darkness of night prevailed with accompanying racing north wind and swirling rain which sent the temperature tumbling nearly twenty degrees in half an hour.

When the storm had subsided it was found the Ohio Bell Telephone Co. had suffered the heaviest damage. According to H. W. Cleaver, commercial manager, telephone lines were the greatest sufferers.

Long distance service from

Xenia to Dayton and Xenia to Cincinnati was interfered with and it is estimated 150 telephone users in Xenia and environs were without service Tuesday.

Repairs were under way Wednesday morning but fifty-four telephone users were still without service, according to a check made.

A bolt of lightning struck a 300-wire cable isolating 150 subscribers on Dayton Ave., Cincinnati Ave., and Bellbrook Ave. Other cables were drying out Wednesday morning but fifty-four telephone users were still without service, according to a check made.

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### SUBWAY STRIKERS ENLIST L WORKS

NEW YORK, July 7.—The second day of New York's subway strike opened with strikers announcing that elevated railway employees, joining their ranks, would leave their trains today and the Interborough Rapid Transit Company simultaneously proclaiming a "war to the finish."

The public meanwhile joined in another unhappy scramble to work, getting down town by round about ways or on the L. R. T. services which the company said were functioning at 60 per cent normal.

Six hundred and twenty men have qualified for the posts left vacant by striking motormen and switchmen and the company is training 175 more non-union men, 125 of whom arrived from western cities last night.

### BROOKSIDE PARK ZOO IS GIVEN OWL

CLEVELAND, O., July 7.—Brookside Park Zoo was presented with an unusual owl. Paul Whipple, of Coneaut, calls him "One-Round Who."

Paul captured him as One-Round was making off with the remains of a pampered pussy. It was a bitter battle. The owl conquered the cat, and had Whipple on the ropes. Whipple nearly lost three fingers and a knee cap when he seized old One-Round after the fight.

### PRESIDENT HAPPY ON VACATION TRIP

ABOARD PRESIDENT'S TRAIN EN ROUTE TO SUMMER WHITE HOUSE, July 7.—Speeding on the way to White Pine in the Adirondacks, the executive party is expected to arrive at Gabriola, N. Y., today whence it will continue by motor.

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Officials of the Dayton Power and Light Co. reported no material damage aside from burning out of several fuses in transformers. Power was not cut off despite the heavy rain and wind and lightning display.

No reports of crop damage over the county were received at the Greene County Farm Bureau.

Because of the darkness which descended upon the city, automobiles were forced to use headlights. Office employees resorted to electric lights and streets of Xenia presented a night time appearance.

Police continued their search Wednesday.

Two men identified by the names of Puckett and Melvin, Xenia, are the objects of the search. The pair fled at the approach of the officers in an auto, throwing out two jugs containing liquor, it was reported.

The liquor was confiscated. The fugitives escaped in a lane leading from Jasper Ave., to Columbus St.

### BLAME ALLIGATOR FOR SENSATION

ATHENS, O., July 7.—When a three foot alligator ran across the road in front of a local motorist a mild sensation resulted.

A search has not uncovered the reptile, but it is known that two years ago a baby gator escaped from a local home.

### BEER FLOWS HERE

LOGAN, O., July 7.—The hill sides about Jobs, a mining camp near here, literally ran with foaming beer after a visit of Sheriff W. P. Shaw and a posse. The officers found 800 quarts of beer in old coal mines and also located buried jugs of whiskey.

### PANIC CAUSED

BOSTON, July 7.—Between 400 and 500 persons in a motion picture theater here were thrown into a panic today when a huge slab of plastering fell from the ceiling into the orchestra pit. More than a score of women fainted in the stampede for the doors. Others were jostled and bruised.

### EATS FIREWORKS

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., July 7.—Earl Smith, two years old, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harley Smith, of Indianapolis died today after eating fireworks Monday. The fireworks was of the type known as "split devils" said to contain phosphorus. Dr. Paul F. Robinson, county coroner said this type of explosive is illegal and that he would begin an investigation.

### SEARCH FOR KITTEN LEADS YOUTH UNDER PORCH OF DWELLING

Young Son Of R. O. T. C. Head At Wilberforce Is Victim

Hilliard Whitman Green, five-year-old son of Colonel John E. Green, commander of the Reserve Officers Training Corps at Wilberforce University, was drowned in a cistern underneath the rear porch at his home when he crawled through a hole in the lattice work in search of his pet kitten at 7 o'clock Tuesday night.

The body was found in five feet of water. Drs. Paul D. Espey and W. H. Finley, Xenia, worked for an hour over the boy to bring back life by both natural and artificial means, but all efforts to revive him failed. Physicians believe he had been dead for at least three-quarters of an hour when found.

The child had been playing with his eight-year-old brother in the yard at his home. His absence was first noticed by his father, who has previously cautioned the children to remain in the yard and play because of the danger of passing automobiles.

Colonel Green searched the entire neighborhood without avail and finally questioned the lad's older brother, John Jr., who said he had crawled through the lattice work to find his kitten.

A piece of cheese cloth had been stretched across the open cistern. In view of this fact and because of darkness under the porch, it is the theory he crawled upon the cloth which gave away, precipitating him into the water.

Neighbors joined in the search and "Sap" Lane, Wilberforce, lowered himself into the cistern and removed the body.

The child is survived by his parents and one brother John E. Green, Jr.

Funeral services will be held at the residence Thursday at 2:30 p. m. at first time with interment in Tarbox Cemetery.

### POLICE SEEK PAIR WHO OUT RACED COPS

A short but spirited chase on the Wilmington Pike in which two alleged bootleggers in an auto were pursued by Patrolmen Peter Shagin and Ed Craig on a motorcycle ended abruptly when police abandoned the pursuit after losing the trail early Tuesday evening.

Police continued their search Wednesday.

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### SHERIFF STILL ON KIDNAPPING PROBE

Sheriff Morris Sharp was in Dayton Tuesday afternoon to continue his investigation into the alleged attempt to abduct Miss Ruth Fitzgerald, 28, Dayton, from her escort, Henry Schutler, also of Dayton, on the Kemp Road near Zionsville last Saturday night.

Condition of Miss Fitzgerald, who is in Miami Valley Hospital Dayton, with a fractured skull sustained when she leaped from the bandit car which she had been forced to enter at the point of a gun, was reported improved Wednesday although she is still unable to carry on a conversation, or be interviewed.

Sheriff Sharp is co-operating with Montgomery County authorities in the search for the alleged kidnappers but no clew has been uncovered to clear up the identity of the bandit.

### WATCHMAN KILLED

DAYTON, O., July 7.—Patrick Maloney, crossing watchman, was killed when he stepped into the path of a Baltimore and Ohio switch engine here.

### FIRE LOSS \$20,000

FOSTORIA, O., July 7.—The Strouse Pipe and Machinery Co. here was destroyed by fire late yesterday, with an estimated loss of \$20,000.

## EXPECT 400 AT REUNION OF EX-PUPILS AT HOME

Senator Frank B. Willis Will Address Annual Banquet—Officials Elected Wednesday Morning.

Attendance at the annual reunion of the Ex-Pupils' Association, Ohio Soldiers' and Sailors' Orphans Home, was expected to reach this 400 mark before Wednesday evening.

The annual banquet, Wednesday night, at which U. S. Senator Frank B. Willis speaks, will draw the largest crowd, it is thought.

Election of officers of the Ex-Pupils Association was scheduled for Wednesday morning. Wednesday afternoon will be given over to a ball game and other sports arranged for amusement of the guests.

The association held an informal reception for Col. and Mrs. T. S.

Andrews, new superintendent and head matron at the institution, Tuesday afternoon. A short musical program was given after the reception, when Mrs. Howard Carman, Columbus, sang.

The yearly "Buster Brown and Mary Jane" masque dance was held at the new high school auditorium, Tuesday night. The several hundred revelers were costumed and frolicked with abandon. Music was furnished by the Harmony Kings, Xenia orchestra.

Dancing on the campus platform will follow the banquet, Wednesday night. The formal dance of the reunion will be held outdoors Thursday night if the weather is favorable. Thursday will mark the last day of the reunion.

### \$250 a Week for Countess



Mrs. Aedita Fisher, wife of H. C. "Bud" Fisher, the cartoonist, was granted \$250 a week pending her suit for separation in New York courts. She was formerly Countess de Beaumont.

### SNOW SLIDES BLOCK CHILE-ARGENTINE TRAFFIC IS REPORT

Tunnels Choked By Snow In Worst Storm In Years

SANTIAGO, Chile, July 7.—Chile to Argentina transportation is blocked by the greatest snowstorm in twenty years. Hundreds of commercial travelers and others are detained at Los Andes and Mendoza, while rotary plows on both sides are grinding through the Cordillera. It is estimated that sixty-three tunnels have been blocked, while frozen cogged tracks and labor shortage are hindering the work of clearing the way.

This morning the worst snow slide in years, 200 meters long and ten deep, massed with rocks, smothered the tracks near Mendoza. It is expected that the clearing will be completed to Juncaal tonight, making 150 kilometers from Los Andes but a break in the weather and sunshine supply the only possibility of opening the road within six days making a total of sixteen days of blockade.

Many are intending to journey to Buenos Aires by way of the Magellan or La Paz. Meantime the rainstorm at Valparaiso and Santiago is clearing but threatening, while authorities are listing the great damage on the coast which was done last week.

### CUPID WAS BUSY

NEW LEXINGTON, O., July 7.—"Old Dan" Cupid, has been busy here during the month of June. A total of twenty-two marriage licenses were issued as compared with fourteen last year.

### GIRLS KILLED BY BOYS' JOKE

STEUBENVILLE, O., July 7.—Two little girls were dead here today, the victims of what two boys intended to be a joke.

The girls, Dorothy and Ruth Lambing, were killed when an automobile, its brakes loosened by the boys, plunged down a hill into the Lambing home.

Dorothy and Ruth with other children were sitting in their porch swing and did not see the car as it began its mad plunge.

Only one of the children escaped injury.

### MANY KILLED WHEN QUAKE HITS JAVA

SAMARANG, Java, July 7.—Earthquake death and damage tolls continued to mount today.

Two villages bordering on Lake Singkara were smashed by a huge wave during yesterday's quake and forty-one persons including fourteen children were drowned.

Reports from the Padang Highlands indicate the casualties and damages of last week's shakes will exceed the estimates already made.

### NO WONDER

NEW LEXINGTON, O., July 7.—When an electric motor used to pump water for New York Central Railroad engines here went dead, it stayed dead despite all efforts to revive it. When dismantled, the body of a sparrow and a frog were found in the motor. They had been electrocuted.

### DAMAGE ESTIMATED MORE THAN MILLION FROM WIND AND RAIN

Dayton Struck Hard And Communication Cut Off

COLUMBUS, July 7.—Heavy rain and wind storms which swept the state yesterday caused damage estimated today at \$1,200,000 and the injury of two persons.

Columbus, Dayton and Cincinnati were the hardest hit, water and lightning damage running high in each city.

The spire of St. Dominic's Catholic Church here toppled over when lightning shattered it.

Over \$100,000 damage was recorded in Dayton. Cincinnati's damage will run over \$75,000. Lightning struck the desaturating plant of the Federal Products Company there exploding 10,000 gallons of alcohol.

A downfall of 73 inches of rain soaked Columbus, most of it falling within an hour. Dayton's rainfall 1.91 inches, was beneficial to parched lawns and dry gardens.

The two injured as a result of the storm were Lewis Chenoweth, 28, Grove City and William Gashwin, 10, South Columbus.

Chenoweth was in real estate office here using a telephone when the line was struck by lightning. Young Gashwin was struck while he was seated in a swing in front of his home.

High winds accompanying the heavy rain uprooted trees and shrubs causing minor damage to buildings and telephone lines. The rain flooded cellars and low-lying buildings.

The storm in Dayton snapped all telephone and telegraph wires and all means of communication with the city were shut off during the afternoon.

Serious damage to crops in southwestern Ohio also resulted from the storm, wheat and tobacco crops suffering especially. The damage in Montgomery County is estimated at \$25,000.

Zanesville experienced one of the most severe rain and electrical storms encountered this season. During the storm, Albert Shank and Miss Etha Wierick, employees of the American Tilling Company were knocked unconscious by lightning.

### FIVE ARRAIGNED ON LIQUOR OFFENSES; FOUR GIVEN FINES

Five men, two of whom are colored, were arraigned before Probate Judge S. J. Wright Wednesday morning and four were fined a total of \$1,000 and costs for liquor law violations. The fifth pleaded not guilty and will be given a trial.

In view of extenuating circumstances, Walter Miller, 33, and Lewis Miller, 21, tenants on the farm owned by Frank Townsley, north of Cedarville, were only fined \$100 and costs each when they pleaded guilty to possessing implements designed for the manufacture of liquor. A complete twenty-five-gallon capacity still and a barrel of mash was found when the farm was raided Saturday night. The Millers, who are not related, were charged with operating it. Both were committed to the County Jail.

Charles Smith, colored, Cedarville, was fined \$500 and costs for second offense for possessing liquor when he pleaded guilty. Earl Andrews, 35, Cedarville, was fined \$300 and costs when he pleaded guilty to a similar charge. Both were arrested in raids Monday. Smith was committed to the County Jail in default of payment of the fine and Andrews was making arrangements for payment Wednesday.

John Banks, 25, colored, Xenia, returned from the Dayton Workhouse on a thirty-day warrant charging him with furnishing liquor. He pleaded not guilty before Judge Wright. He was released under \$500 bond for appearance at his trial set for July 12 at 1:30 p. m.

### SUBMARINE NEARS BROOKLYN YARDS

NEW YORK, July 7.—The submarine S-51, after nine months on the ocean's bottom, was reported drawing near to Hall Gate at daybreak today having spent the night in steady progress down Long Island Sound.

Towed by a fleet of tugs and conveyed by the mine sweeper Falcon, the submarine was making about four knots an hour.

At the Brooklyn Navy Yard, the hull will be cut open and navy officers expect they will find within the bodies of more than 20 of the 33 men who perished when the ship went down in a collision with the liner City of Rome last summer.

### KILLED BY AUTO

RAVENNA, O., July 7.—Warren Bowers, 85, is dead here from injuries received when an automobile turned over.



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## BLAME THE AUTOMOBILE

The Chicago piano manufacturer who views with alarm the growing demand for automobiles is to be excused for his peculiar state of mind, but all will not agree with him that the American home was destroyed when the public transferred their monthly payments from the piano to the automobile. When one's own little world falls upon his head it is only natural to proclaim the collapse of the universe, and this is the case with the piano business which has suffered much in competition with the automobile, phonograph and radio.

This is a great nation, its wealth is fabulous. Apparently it can spend \$14,000,000,000 a year for automobiles and hardly notice the expense. Even after spending this huge sum for motoring the American public is paying \$112,000,000 a year for pianos and many times that amount for phonographs, radios and other musical instruments, more and better homes and luxurious furnishings for those homes.

It is possible that a piano has ceased to make a home, although there was a time in the dim dead past beyond recall when the home was not complete without one. Before the piano, the organ was a necessary attribute of the household, and its discard can be traced to the piano. No doubt the organ manufacturers when they saw their business being taken from them by the piano makers, predicted economic ruin for the nation if the people continued to mortgage their homes and encumber their incomes to buy costly pianos.

There will always be a large demand for the piano. It may not be the first piece of furniture to enter the home of the future but sooner or later it will be coveted in a great majority of those homes. The self-pitying one from Chicago is living in the past when a piano represented the savings of a lifetime of the average family. Today millions of families are able to save from one year's income sufficient money to buy an automobile representing the market value of two or more pianos.

## THE PERIODICAL INVESTIGATION

Consumption of gasoline during the first four months of this year exceeded that of any similar period—more than 20 per cent greater than first quarter consumption last year.

Surplus stocks have been greatly reduced, and an unusually heavy summer demand is expected. A slight increase in price of crude oil and gasoline has resulted from these unsurpassed demands, and the senate has directed the Federal Trade Commission to investigate the situation, alleging price-fixing methods.

This may result in much testimony being taken during the summer, but the industry appears to have become accustomed to these investigations, as they have been in almost continuous progress since the close of the war. They all cost taxpayers money, but they furnish campaign material and jobs for public employees.

## Today's Talk

### TO BE A TREE

I know nothing about reincarnation, excepting what I have read or learned of its meaning. But it is beautiful to think that these souls of ours go on and on after they have played about in this body.

Many of the ancients believed that they would live in sorts of animals and plants and things.

It is a nice speculative thought to have this body someday in it in the sap of the ground and work its way into a tree, climb the branches, spreading out and touching leaves until they form into their beautiful shapes giving color and beauty to the landscape about, or perhaps here and there giving nourishment to a group of flowers that later ripen into fruit for bird or beast or man.

Just sit under a tree during a storm and note how it bends its life even to disturbing elements. And then experience its shade during a hot summer day. Or re-

member its beauty out in the cool of the morning or evening during the rising of a sun or its setting.

Or, travel in your dreams back to the farm house and listen to the concert of the birds at dusk.

God must have thought a great deal about trees, for He made so many different kinds and scattered them clear around His world. And He put into people's hearts the desire for them, the love for them, so that a home looks incomplete without them about it.

I recently passed over a great desert. For miles nothing but sage brush and cactus. Then, I would see a little farm house with a bunch of trees about it, or perhaps some cows eating nearby.

Some day I hope to write a book which will be called, "My Book of Trees." And I will have pictures and little stories in it of trees that grow all over the surface of this earth.

I wouldn't mind being a beautiful tree!

## SURGEONS REST ORE BOY'S FACE HALF BLOWN OFF BY EXPLOSION

SYDNEY, July 3.—Two years ago a nine-year-old boy in a Victorian township had the lower half of his face blown away by the accidental discharge of a shotgun, and today thanks to the skill of an Adelaide surgeon, he has a new half-face.

The surgeon, Dr. Simpson Newland, gained a worldwide reputation by his surgery achievements in the World War and the British Government endeavored to retain his services in England, but Newland returned to Australia in order that his services should be available to Australian soldiers if they were needed. But the operation on the boy is said to be more remarkable than any he performed in war hospitals.

Newland took pieces of flesh from various parts of the boy's body, and began the work of building up a foundation for the missing half of the boy's face. Six operations were spread over a year before the boy began to resemble his former self.

In the last operation the doctor cut two strips of skin from the boy's temple over the forehead, and up on to the skull. These he laid back and turning them, brought them down around the flesh that he had built up as a chin. The skin grew and so did

some of the roots of hair contained in it. The 11-year-old boy is growing a beard.

In a few weeks' time will come the last operation. Newland will take out one of the boy's ribs, and fashion it into a complete lower jawbone. This will be let into the built-up flesh and grafted to the ends of the original jawbone, which was blown completely off at the last tooth in the lower jaw. This is said to be comparatively simple, and the success of the whole operation is assured.

Will Build Church for Latest Saint

ROME, July 7.—Saint Teresa of the Bambin Gesù, the latest of the saints, whose canonization took place only last year is to have a church built and dedicated in her honor in the Sebastiani quarter of Rome.

Saint Teresa is the youngest saint of the century, and is the object of great honor and devotion among French Catholics, having been born at Lisieux, France.

Remember S. S. S. is made only from fresh roots and herbs.

You can stop skin troubles. The blood is where the real trouble is. Take S. S. S. to get your blood right and your dream of a soft, rosy, velvet skin, clear of blemishes, will be realized.

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## National Tortoise And Hare



## 1906-Twenty Years Ago-1926

Mr. Arthur Thrall will leave soon with a friend, Mr. Jenkins, for North Dakota, where they expect to spend the summer on a ranch.

Xenia Clippers were defeated 8 to 5 by the Springfield Tecumseh Park nine. Dill pitched.

The Springfield Cadet Band will help entertain things at the ex-pupils reunion at the O. S. and S. O. Home this week.

Mr. Herman Eavey is spending a few days at Put-in-Bay, where he is enjoying a little outing and attending a convention of coal dealers.



### TOMORROW'S MENU

Breakfast  
Cereal  
Creamed Dried Beef  
Muffins  
Coffee  
Luncheon  
Devilled Tomatoes on Toast  
Wholewheat Bread  
Left-Over Prunes  
Iced Tea  
Dinner  
Sliced Left-Over Lamb  
Meat Relish  
Rice Croquettes  
Peas  
Lettuce  
French Dressing  
Raspberry Shortcake  
Coffee

### ANSWERS TO INQUIRIES

Mrs. H. R.: "Is there any way to dry-clean curtains? Mine do not seem soiled enough for laundering."

Answer: I would advise you to launder them. I do not think an attempt to dry-clean them would be very successful. At least it would be no less trouble than washing them.

Mrs. M. S.: "How are ants driven from the kitchen?"

Answer: The United States Department of Agriculture publishes a Farmer's Bulletin (No. 740), entitled "House Ants," which is free to all who write to Washington, D. C. for it, addressing their letter simply to "U. S. Dept. of Agriculture."

This excellent bulletin explains many ways of exterminating the red and the black ant, both by killing the pests with poisoned baits, such as a sponge moistened with sweetened water, and then plunging the sponge into boiling water to kill the ants. It also warns the housewife against leaving food about on shelves or other open spaces.

Other methods are the following: 1. Place the legs of the refrigerator, kitchen table and kitchen cabinet in saucers or pans containing water, then pour kerosene oil on top of the water—to keep pests (both ants and roaches) from getting onto kitchen furniture.

2. Have your druggist fix you a five per cent carbolic acid solution and put this in an oil can, the nozzle of which will go into cracks and crevices. This is a POISON, so should not be used in a home where there are children.

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## SIDELIGHTS

ON  
Greene County History

### SOIL FOODS

Use of soy beans is increasing and this legume should be more extensively cultivated. It not only furnishes a valuable stock of food, but what is also extremely useful to the farmer, it is one of the best crops to improve the soil.

Beets, turnips, and rye are grown in the county to a limited extent for stock food. Hay, both clover and timothy, has been grown in the county for nearly a century.

As early as 1840 the hay product was returned in the government agricultural census. Green County in that year reported 9,382 tons for a total value of \$57,328. In 1850 15,704 tons were reported, the return not indicating whether it was clover or timothy, or both combined.

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for the beneficial effect they have on the soil. Farmers are beginning to realize more than ever before the value of the nitrogen-fixing bacteria of the legumes.

Question of artificial fertilizers has come to the fore in recent years. The farmer has learned by experience his land must be "fed" as regularly as he feeds his cattle and hogs. Crop rotation partially solves this difficulty but it does not keep all kinds of soil in shape to produce crops. It was found the legumes are a big factor in soil conservation but that they needed assistance.

For this reason the commercial fertilizer was developed, soil foods which can be fed to the soil to increase its fertility. For instance in 1916, Greene County farmers used 5,402,740 lbs. of commercial fertilizer, twenty-six tons of lime, the total cost amounting to \$50,121.

Liming of wet and sour soil is not a new thing. It has been used by some of the farmers of the county since the days of the Civil War. Lime is being used to an increasing extent each year.

## Just Folks

BY EDGAR A. QUEST

### BIRTHDAY GREETING TO BUD

Another birthday, son o' mine,  
(And still your heart is clean  
and true,  
And still your eyes with laughter  
shine!  
God keep them so your whole  
life through!

You have not hung your head in  
shame,  
Nor jessened once our love and  
pride—  
You've been a credit to your name,  
Your feet have never turned  
aside.

God bless you, boy, and keep you  
strong!  
May many birthdays follow this;  
May all the stings of conscious  
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And hurt of shame be yours to  
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Your heart is still so clean and  
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## Society-Personal-Clubs

THE NICEST courtesy you can show your guests is to have their visits mentioned on this page. The nicest courtesy you can show your friends is to let them learn of your visits through this page whenever you go away. The Gazette and Republican consider it a courtesy whenever you turn in an item of any kind. PHONE 10.

## DINNER PARTY ON BIRTH ANNIVERSARY

A three-course dinner was served at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Osborne, Sunday, in honor of Mr. Osborne's birthday.

Those who enjoyed the occasion were: Mr. and Mrs. Ben Osborne, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Starke, and three children, Mr. Harold Method, all of near Waynesville and Mrs. Emerson Ditt, Dayton.

## TOWNSHIP SEWING CLUB HOLDS MEETING

Sewing club of Xenia Twp., met at the home of Mrs. J. A. Hutchinson, Tuesday afternoon. The regular business meeting was held when plans were made for the Greene County Fair work and the name "The Worth While Club," selected.

The girls spent the afternoon sewing. Next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. F. P. Hastings Tuesday afternoon, July 13.

Miss Evelyn Anders and Miss Erma Glass, Miami University, spent the week end at their home at Alpha. Miss Betty Hill, Fletcher, was their week end guest.

Miss Ruth Hadley, 628 Woodlawn Ave., Springfield, entertained with an afternoon bridge party, Monday, honoring Miss Betty Laist, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Laist, this city, who plans to leave soon for an extended tour of Europe.

Earl Short, Jr., W. Market St., is spending the week in West Liberty, O., with relatives.

Miss Rachel Dice, seriously injured her right eye, when she was struck by pebbles from a "torpedo" during a Fourth of July celebration. Dr. Reed Madden is attending the injured eye and making every attempt to save her sight.

Mrs. George L. White, W. Market St., has as her guest, Mrs. Jennie Curtis, El Paso, Tex., who stopped in Xenia enroute home after a visit in New York City.

Mr. Samuel Ellis, Wilmington Pike, is recovering from an attack of grip from which he has been ill several days.

David Short, W. Market St., is spending a few days in Wilmington, the guest of Mr. Bert Morris.

Young son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Oglesbee, Wilmington Pike, is ill with an attack of toxemia.

Mrs. Charles O'Brien and infant son, Charles Jr., N. King St., spent the week end and the Fourth with relatives in Northside, Cincinnati.

Miss May Orr is enjoying a vacation from the Citizens' National Bank and is on a conducted tour East. She will stop at Cleveland, Buffalo, Niagara Falls, New York and Philadelphia in addition to a lake trip and down the Hudson River.

Billy and Bobbie Crawford, little sons of Mr. and Mrs. Grover Crawford, S. Detroit St., are recovering from severe attacks of ear and throat trouble. Billy, the older has been ill with a complication but is now improving. Bobbie's illness has been confined to his throat. Both have been ill ten days.

Little Miss Elizabeth Hendlen, Wilmington Pike, has returned home after a two weeks' visit with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Rheinhart, Dayton.

Mrs. Sadie Reed, Los Angeles, Calif., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George O. Bane, near Jamestown.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Thomas, Yellow Springs, have received announcement of the birth of a son, Eugene William, to their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Sprague, Scranton, Pa. This is Mr. and Mrs. Sprague's second child, their other child, a girl, being two years old.

Mrs. Lawrence Davis, W. Second St., received serious burns to her right hand and arm, when a miniature "volcano" exploded while Mrs. Davis was visiting her sister, Mr. Albert Sanders, Jamestown, Monday. The fireworks had failed to flare when a match was first applied and when Mrs. Davis touched it with a second match, it exploded. She received second degree burns from the tips of her fingers above her hand, the upper part of the arm being less seriously burned. She is confined to bed at her sister's home.

Mrs. M. C. Reeves, seamstress, Gazette Building, fractured her left arm and dislocated several fingers of her left hand when she suffered an attack of vertigo, Sunday, at her home, and fell.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Marshall, Newcomerstown, O., and Mr. W. L. Marshall, Columbus, spent the past week end with Mr. and Mrs. James Hawkins, near Xenia.

The Greene County Library will be closed every evening except Saturday, during Chautauqua week.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred DeVoe and son, Donald; the Misses Laura Bales, Ruth Clouse and Wanda DeVoe; Messrs. Glenn, Ernest McKay and Robert Copeland were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Stroup, Troy, Monday evening after which they attended the Eagles' Celebration at Troy fairgrounds.

Miss Miriam Hawkins, of the state college extension service, Bozeman, Mon., arrived in Xenia Monday and will spend two weeks with relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. William Gangwer and family, W. Manchester, Mr. and Mrs. George Powers and daughter, Lewisburg, Mr. and Mrs. John Boyd of W. Milton, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. V. Henderson of Jasper Station.

Mrs. D. W. Cosley entertained a company of women friends at her attractive home on W. Second St., Saturday evening, with a porch party for the pleasure of Mrs. Philip LaBelle and Mrs. Horace L. White, Los Angeles, Cal., Mrs. A. E. Faulkner's guests. An informal social time was enjoyed and refreshments served.

Mrs. Frank Hustmyer, W. Main St., was taken suddenly severely ill Monday night, and has been under the care of physician since. Her condition has not been serious and is steadily improving.

Mrs. Charles C. Cost and children, Donald, George and Lewis left Wednesday morning for St. Paul, Minn., for a visit with Mrs. Cost's sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Michael Hannan.

Mrs. Vernon Gorman, Gladstone, was removed to the Springfield City Hospital, Monday, for treatment and a possible operation. She was taken to Springfield in the Nagley ambulance from Xenia.

Members of the former "C. I. C." and present "V. J. B." club will be entertained by the Misses Margaret Calhoun and Mildred Dice, at the latter's home, Friday evening at 7:30.

Mr. and Mrs. Ancil Stephens, W. Second St., left Monday morning by motor, enroute to Niagara Falls and other points of interest in the East.

Members of the "Kitcherettes" Food Club are asked to meet Thursday, when plans will be made for some field trips.

Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Merica, Akron, arrived Saturday and spent the Fourth with Mrs. S. D. Corwin, W. Second St.

Mrs. Raymond Wolf, Burlington Pike, who underwent an emergency operation at McClellan Hospital, Monday night, is recovering favorably. She was taken suddenly seriously ill Monday morning and an operation was imperative. Her condition is thought satisfactory.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Smith, and Mrs. Edward Smith and family, Detroit, Mich., motored to Xenia to spend the Fourth, as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Smith, S. King St.

Mr. Clark Poland, W. Main St., underwent a delicate operation performed behind his ear necessitated by poison in his system settling there. He has been seriously ill with the trouble some time but is now recovering.

Quarterly conference which was to have been held at First M. E. Church, Wednesday night, has been postponed until after Chautauqua.

Miss Dena Mills and Mrs. M. Ma. Stillwell, Dayton, spent Wednesday with Miss Mill's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Mills near Cedarville. Miss Mills is leaving Friday for Michigan to spend two months at a Summer resort.

Mrs. Robert Murray, N. Detroit St., was removed to the Miami Hospital, Dayton, Wednesday, preparatory to an operation, Thursday.

Miss Helen Howard, of God's Bible School, Cincinnati, spent the week end and the Fourth with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Howard.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Strain will entertain the J. F. F. Club at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gene Strain, Van Eaton Road, Friday evening. Members are asked to bring a half dozen bananas.

Mrs. Martha McClellan, Mrs. C. S. Dean, Mr. Russell Dean, Mr. Charles Miller and Mrs. Adda Oglesbee motored to Newton Falls, O., Thursday and remained until Sunday the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Dean.

**EAST END NEWS**  
MRS. JAMES HARRIS  
Correspondent  
TEL. 91-R

Woman's Relief Corps, No. 223, held a program Monday afternoon on the lawn at 40 Taylor St. Forty East End children were on the program, which included a flag drill, songs and other drills. The children gave a pledge to the flag after singing "America." The lawn was decorated with flags, and bunting. The corps wished to thank the friends and parents for letting their children participate. Officers of the corps are: Mrs. Hattie Spencer, president; Mary Roman, chaplain; Fannie Garrett, guard; Jessie Windall, secretary.

**WINS CREED PRIZE**  
COLUMBUS, O., July 7.—Robert Lobber of Cleveland, has won first place in the American Legion's contest among school children of Ohio for an inspirational and vigorously patriotic flag creed, according to information received here by James F. Corrigan, Department Americanism chairman.

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## WOMAN AND BABE INJURED WHEN MACHINES COLLIDE ALONG PIKE

Mistaking the friendly wave of the driver of an oncoming auto as a signal he was about to stop, C. G. Andrews, West-boro, O., swerved his machine to the left creating a head-on collision in which four persons were slightly injured at 5:30 p. m., Tuesday two miles southeast of Xenia on the Wilmington Pike.

Mrs. Olive Pendell and nine-months-old child, who occupied the front seat of a touring car owned and driven by her husband, Nathan Pendell R. R. 1, Xenia, were hurled through the windshield but escaped with minor cuts and bruises about the face and head. Four other children in the rear seat were unhurt.

Two women who occupied the sedan owned and driven by Andrews, whose names were not learned, were also slightly hurt in the crash. Andrews, who is said to room with them, did not reveal their identity.

Dr. W. H. Finley, Xenia, called to the scene of the accident, ad-

ministered first aid treatment to Mrs. Pendell and her child. Both cars were wrecked. The sedan overturned in a ditch but the touring car, although also hurled into a ditch, remained upright.

Andrews was driving toward Wilmington and Pendell toward Xenia. Action of Pendell in waving his hand to someone in a farmhouse is thought to have confused Andrews making him believe he was about to stop on the wrong side of the road. He is said to have turned his car to the left to pass and the machines met head on.

Sedan was taken to the Stephens and Bernard Garage at Wilmington for repairs. Deliver Belden, auto club secretary, Deputy Sheriff John Baughn, Motorcycle Policeman Peter Shagin and Patrolman Fred Jones investigated.

## MT. TABOR

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Devoe entertained to dinner Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Will Devoe, and family, and Mrs. Frank Jones and daughter, all of Xenia, and Mrs. Lizemmy Devoe and daughter, Flo, of Paintersville.

Mr. and Mrs. John Smith and family motored to Indianapolis, Saturday, and remained over to spend the Fourth with their son, Luther and family.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Hollingsworth and daughter, Pauline, spent Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Foster Hollingsworth, of Dayton.

Ernestine Jones spent several days last week with her cousin, Freda Trout, of Mt. Carmel. Roy Hook and family of New Jasper, spent Sunday with Mrs. Hook's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Jones.

Stanley Jones spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Marion Devoe, of Luttrell.

At the church, Sunday evening, the 11th, Sunday School at 6:30 o'clock, followed by preaching. The Loyal Sons and Daughters' Sunday School classes will hold their monthly class meeting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Riley Jones, Tuesday evening the 13th.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Smith and family spent Saturday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Beal and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Wolary spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. John McKenzie, of near Sabina.

## SPRING VALLEY

Mr. Arch Copey's Sunday School class of boys enjoyed an all day picnic and fishing excursion on Cessarscreek Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Bagford entertained Thursday evening. Mr. Thomas Bagford and daughter, Miss Lillian, Miss Cora Dunford, Mr. Ralph Bagford and Mr. Robert King of Lebanon.

Little Miss Laura Wesley Whitaker of Morrow is visiting her cousin Virginia Alexander.

Little Miss Kathryn Hunt of Madisonville is visiting her cousins Emily and Billy Hiatt.

Miss Marie Squires of Dayton was the week end guest of Miss Laura Copey.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Bagford entertained Sunday afternoon Mrs. Kate Penquite, Miss Rachel Bagford and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Penquite of Clarksville.

Misses Rebecca Sanders and Minerva Linscott entertained Sunday afternoon Mr. and Mrs. Lester Stiles and little son of New Carlisle.

Mr. and Mrs. I. O. Peterson entertained at supper Saturday evening Mr. and Mrs. Ray Peterson and daughters of Chicago and Mrs. Minnie Darnoff of Dayton.

Mrs. Flora Mason spent the fore part of the week with her son Erwin and family of Dayton.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hudson and family of Columbus have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. P. S. Hudson.

Mr. and Mrs. I. O. Peterson and son attended the Peterson family reunion near Celina Sunday.

## Calendar of Events

(Notices of coming events in social or fraternal circles, lodge meetings, club gatherings or benefits will be published in this column free of charge. Phone notices not more than ten days preceding the event itself.)

## WEDNESDAY, JULY 7:

Church Prayer Meetings.

J. O. U. A. M.

K. of P.

Moose.

## THURSDAY, JULY 8:

Obedient Thimble Club.

Red Men.

P. of X. D. or A.

W. R. C.

Am. Ins. Union.

Friday, July 9:

Eagles.

Union Community Club.

Sunday, July 11:

Harshman-Yeakle Reunion.

Monday, July 12:

Xenia S. P. O.

D. of P.

Phi Delta Kappa

Modern Woodmen.

## HEAVY DAMAGE IS CAUSED BY STORM

Tuesday afternoon's heavy electrical storm resulted in damage estimated at \$6,000, in Dayton. The storm hit Dayton, carried on wind traveling at sixty-five miles an hour. When the fury of the elements subsided, the city was left with badly crippled telephone and street car service.

Uprooted trees blocked streets, paving was washed away and numerous cellars were flooded by the terrific downpour, which totaled 1.91 inches during the short period.

Crops in Montgomery County suffered damage to the extent of \$25,000, it is reported. Dayton was isolated from the outside world for hours as far as telephone service was concerned. Emergency crews were put on duty and the damage repaired by Wednesday noon.

## PUBLISHER DROWNS

PORTSMOUTH, O., July 7.—Funeral services were held here today for George M. Taylor, publisher of the Portsmouth Sun who was drowned in the Scioto River Sunday afternoon when he attempted to rescue his daughter Betty.

The services will be held at the Bigelow Methodist Church.

## PRODUCERS!

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## The Theatre

It is not the theater which pollutes the audience, but the audience which pollutes the theater. Today, the first class theater, the legitimate theater of fine tradition and pure artistic expression—as distinguished from the faddist, exotic theaters, which by presenting novel forms of drama with daring, morbid themes have gained a temporary vogue—is fighting for its very existence.

This, according to Charles Coburn, well known to playgoers as an actor-producer who has been identified with the best in the theater. His outstanding successes on Broadway were as the chorus in "The Yellow Jacket," and as old Bill in "The Better 'Ole."

The melodramatic theater having disappeared and its audience having become possessed of material wealth, that class has turned for its entertainment to the "first-class" theaters, with the result that the mental average of audiences in first-class theaters has been lowered, Mr. Coburn declares. "Discussion of the theaters right-cousness or iniquity, depending upon the psychology of the debaters, is beside the mark because of internal economic conditions."

Fay Bainter, who has been missed from the theater some two years, has returned to the fold. William Harris, Jr., who has had her under contract ever since Miss Bainter's "Ming Toy" days, will star her in Vincent Lawrence's play, "Sour Grapes."

## IS RETIRED



JOSEPH J. NASH

After forty years of service with the Pennsylvania Railroad, most of the time as engineer, Joseph J. Nash, S. Detroit St., has retired from active service. He warmly praised the company at the close of the long term of service.

## CAPTURE 'GATOR ALONG STREET

An alligator was captured on E. Main St., in almost the heart of the city Tuesday morning.

No, dear readers this is no delusion nor was the man who captured the reptile suffering from acute pre-Volsteadism, he actually made the capture in front of the Xenia Postoffice.

The alligator was the pet of Maurice Hyman, younger son of Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Hyman, E. Market St., and had escaped from the tub in which it was kept. The gator was a gift from the boy's elder brother, Isadore, while he was in Florida last October.

The amphibian measures about twelve inches from the tip of its nose to the tip of its tail. It was found and returned to its owner by K. R. Harris, night operator of the city waterworks.

## ELEAZER

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lewis and Miss Sarah Weaver were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Emory Oglesbee, Sunday. Harry Allen Stout, Wilmington, has been their guest for four weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Stroup, Troy, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Roy McKay Sunday. Mr. Frederick Hartsook, Dayton, spent the fourth with his parents. Miss Mary Smith Dayton, spent

## GIRLS OF SCHOOL AGE LEARN VALUABLE LESSON

Find Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound a Dependable Medicine



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From the days of the polonaise to the days of the radio, mothers have given this dependable medicine to their daughters. School girls are often careless. They get wet feet. They overstudy or they tire themselves with too many dances and parties. They get run down.

Many an active girl of today, like the demure maiden of the 1870's, has found that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is helping her to find better health and energy.

"I gave my fifteen-year-old girl

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and it did her a wonderful lot of good. She had been out of school for four months. I read the advertisements of the Vegetable Compound, and since she has taken it she has improved and has gone back to school again. I recommend the Vegetable Compound to other mothers with girls who are not as strong as they should be."—Mrs. ALICE LOUTHAN, Route 2, Charleston, Illinois.

"My daughter was out of school two terms. I have known about Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound all my life and finally decided that she should try it. Three bottles helped her in various ways for the next couple of years."—Mrs. W. B. GILLETTE, 956 E. 52nd Place, Los Angeles, Calif.

"I have always been sickly, and until I was fourteen my father was very strict about my perfect attendance at grammar school. I have gone to school through hard storms and often taken cold. When I was fourteen I took to my bed and did not get up for eighteen months. Everyone thought I could not live. Just four months ago I began taking your wonderful medicine, Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and I could notice a great change almost at once. Now I feel like a new person. I wish all girls would try Lydia E. Pinkham's wonderful medicine."—Mrs. C. M. SMITH, Union Village, Vermont.

## BELLBROOK

The 4th passed off with about the usual amount of noise, the same old fire-cracker, the same old skyrocket and romancandle being in evidence as on previous celebrations of the day.

Walter Edwards and family, of Dayton, spent a few hours in the village Sunday.

An unknown man suffered a broken leg Sunday night when an automobile of which he was an occupant, turned over on the curve at White's Corner.

Ommer Tate, candidate for sheriff at the August primary, and Paul Cresswell, deputy auditor, were here rounding up the Republican voters, Friday night.

Mrs. Clytia Buckles visited her son, Dallas Buckles, and family, in Xenia, Sunday.

Attorney F. L. Johnson was in town on legal business Wednesday. Scott Hopkins' fingers are decorated with white rags as the result of getting them too near an exploding firecracker.

Bellbrook journeyed to Beavertown last Sunday and for an opening game administered the same kind of medicine which gave the closing game of last year to the Bellbrook boys. The visitors played with all the expertise of time tried veterans of the diamond and would have shut their competitors out but for a little misplay in the eighth inning which caused Beavertown to score two runs, Score 4 to 2. The Bellbrook lineup was as follows: Cramer 1st B. Zimmermann 2nd B. Sackett 3rd B. Crowl 3rd S. Darbyshire L. F. Mills C. F. Sidenstricker R. F. Sidenstricker R. F. Pitcher, Helman, Catcher, Weller.

## WILBERFORCE

The thirtieth annual convention of the Women's Mite Missionary Society of the Ohio Conference Branch of the African Methodist Episcopal Church closed a very

interesting and inspiring three days' session Sunday night in the auditorium of new Shorter Hall. The convention opened Thursday morning, July 1st in the assembly room of Arnett Hall.

The convention was welcomed by Mrs. Luella White of the Wilberforce branch and Mrs. S. B. Hogans, of Cadiz, Ohio, made the response. President G. H. Jones on behalf of the university and Bishop J. H. Jones of the Third Episcopal district delivered welcome addresses.

Inspiring reports were made by Mrs. Turner, of Mt. Vernon, Ohio, for the mother's department. Mrs. Jamison, of Columbus, Ohio, spoke encouragingly of temperance work and urged the women of Ohio to do their duty at the polls. Mrs. Mack, of Urbana, Ohio, read on "Mothers and Missions" which brought about a very lively discussion by the women.

Much information was given by former presidents in short talks during the "Ex-Presidents' Hour." Mrs. G. W. Maxwell, of Xenia, Ohio, was the first president of the society and opened the discussions, which were followed by Mrs. Edna Woodson, of Wilberforce, and Mrs. Edward Clark, of Cleveland.

Sunday morning Bishop J. H. Jones delivered the annual sermon, and in the evening Miss Hallie G. Brown, ex-president of the Colored Women's Federation of Clubs delivered an address on "Foreign Missions."

The following officers were elected for the year:

President, Mrs. Emma J. Williams, Piquette, Ohio; first vice president, Mrs. Edna Woodson, Wilberforce, Ohio; second vice president, Mrs. Lulu Turner, Urbana, Ohio; recording secretary, Mrs. Mattie Ford, Columbus, Ohio; assistant secretary, Mrs. S. B. Hogans, Cadiz, Ohio; corresponding secretary, Mrs. Essie Williams, Columbus, Ohio; treasurer, Mrs. Rosa Smith, Springfield, Ohio; contingent treasurer, Mrs. Rebecca Johnston; secretary-treasurer of the parent department, Mrs. Lulu Brown, Urbana; the executive board, Mrs. J. Briscoe, Belleaire, Ohio, Mrs. Ballard, Cadiz, Ohio, and Mrs. Bunch.

The place for holding the session next year will be named by the executive board.

## FACIAL ERUPTIONS



GREENE COUNTY'S  
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CLEARANCE  
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July 9th

# JULY CLEAR

Starts Friday Morning at 8 A. M. And Lasts

## SAVINGS!

Good quality percales. Light or dark patterns. Yard wide. Clearance Sale price, per yd.

131-2c

Pretty patterns fine dress gingham's. 32 inches wide. Clearance Sale price, per yard

131-2c

Blue denim. Regular width. 36c quality. Clearance Sale price, per yard

24c

9-4 Bleached Pepperell Sheeting. Regular 55c quality. Clearance Sale Price, per yard

43c

9-4 Unbleached Pepperell Sheeting. Regular 48c quality. Clearance Sale Price, per yard

39c

42 inch Bleached Pepperell Pillow Tubing. Regular 37c value. Clearance Sale price, per yard

29c

A dandy good grade apron gingham. In many colored checks. Regular 13c value. Clearance Sale price per yard

9c

Large dotted voiles, now so popular. Yard wide. Regular 48c value. Clearance Sale price

39c

Rondeau Charmeuse dress fabric. Very pretty patterns. Yard wide. Regular 79c value. Clearance Sale price, per yard

59c

Whiteo Printz, the dress material that retains its lustre after many washings. Regular 50c value. Clearance Sale Price, per yard

39c

Children's mercerized half hose. Pretty color combinations. 25c values. Clearance Sale price, per pr.

19c

Children's Rayon silk half hose. Bright colors. 50c values. Clearance Sale price

29c



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ALL PRICES TORN TO SHREDS

### BATHING SUITS

Men and Women's cotton bathing suits. Blue with red or white trimmings. Regular 69c value. July Clearance price

49c

### DRESS SOX

Men's dress sox at a price that is seldom equaled. Good quality. Regular 12 1-2c values go in this Clearance Sale at

3 prs. 25c

### HANDKERCHIEFS

Plain white dress handkerchiefs or red or blue work handkerchiefs. All go in our great July Clearance Sale at

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### CROCHET COTTON

O. N. T. Crochet Cotton in both white and ecru colors. All sizes. Regular 10c value go in the Clearance Sale at

7c

### MEN! LOOK AT THIS

GENUINE BLUE CHAMBRAY

Work  
Shirts

Men! just imagine buying a genuine blue chambray work shirt at this low price. Yet that's just what we are offering you. They are well made, full cut and correctly sized. We have them in all sizes.

45c

Men

You'll

Want 3 or 4

At This Low Price!

## Your Choice of Hats



Your choice on any Spring or Summer hat in our store at this

\$1.19

one low price. Included are hats that originally sold to \$4.95. Imagine buying them now at \$1.19. Choose early while selections are best.

Women's summer gauze vests. Strap or tailored tops. Regular 25c value. In this great July Clearance Sale they go at

19c

Men's balbriggan union suits. Short sleeves, ankle length. \$1.00 values. Also \$1.00 athletic union suits. To clean up at

79c

Boys' good quality nainsook athletic union suits. In all sizes. Regular 50c values. Reduced for our July Clearance Sale to

35c

Special for men. Porous knit union suits. Most comfortable for summer wear. Regular 89c values. Reduced for this sale to

59c

Big Yank Work shirts for Men. Genuine chambray, full cut, two pockets, correctly sized. Regular 95c value. In our great July Clearance Sale they go at

69c

Girls' fine quality athletic union suits. Made with bloomer knee. 50c values. In sizes to 12. For quick clearance they go at

35c

Men's good grade athletic union suits. In all sizes. Our regular 50c grades. All go into this great Clearance Sale at

39c

This huge stock of summer goods is now on the and profit have been entirely forgotten—prices have prices that will be the sensation of all Greene County your dollars will do double duty here as never before of bargains to be found here. Come prepared to be disappointed! Starting Friday morning and lasting

Smashing Prices In  
The Sensation of

BROWN  
MUSLIN

39 Inches Wide

8c yd.

Ladies' crepe bloomers in plain colors or figured. Regular 50c values. Reduced for our July Clearance Sale to

39c

Women's cotton hose in black and light summer colors. Regular 15c values. Reduced for quick clearance to, per pair

8c

A special lot of women's genuine "Cumfy-Cut" gauze vests. Regular 25c value. Large sizes. To clean up in this sale at

10c

Good size turkish towels. Nice pile nap. Regular 25c values. Some with fancy borders. Reduced for this sale to

19c

Women's pure thread silk hose. In the best selling colors. A real bargain at 69c. Now they go into this sale at

49c

Women's summer knit union suits. Open or closed style. All sizes. Regular 50c value. Reduced for this sale to

39c

Women's and Misses' attractive new novelty print dresses. All sizes. Regular \$1.95 value reduced for this Clearance Sale to

\$1.49

Women's Rayon silk hose all the new summer shades. All sizes. Regular 50c value go into this great Clearance Sale at

35c

Men here's what you have wanted. A good weight canvas glove. Fine for summer use. Out they go at, per pair

7c

Women's princess slips cheaper than you could buy the material. Regular 50c value. Marked down in our great Clearance Sale to

39c

Women's and Misses' stylish afternoon and street dresses on many pretty fabrics. Regular \$2.95 values, reduced for this sale to

\$2.45

Men's work sox. Good light quality especially good summer wear. 10c grade. clean up in this sale at

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THREAD  
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men's fine princess slips in  
in muslin and colors. Some  
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duced for this sale to

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s' knee pants in fine ma-  
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ues to \$1.19. Reduced for  
great Clearance Sale to

89c

children's full length hose in  
black, brown and light colors.  
sizes. Reduced for this  
Clearance Sale to

21c

special lot of women's  
size summer union suits.  
regular 39c values. Small  
es only. Out they go at

23c

inch suit cases in either  
black or brown. Re-inforced  
rners. \$1.25 value. Clear-  
ance Sale price

95c

back traveling bags. Substan-  
tial made. Regular \$1.25  
ue. Clearance Sale price

98c

inch suit cases, WITH  
GRAPS. In either black or  
own. \$1.69 value. Clearance  
le price only

\$1.38

All 10c ric racs, edge trims,  
braids, etc. all go out in the  
great July Clearance Sale at  
only

8c

Bib aprons with cap to match.  
Of fine quality percales or  
ginghams. Regular 89c value.  
Clearance Sale price

69c

Children's bloomer dresses in  
pretty new prints. Regular  
\$1.00 value. In the great Clear-  
ance Sale at

79c

Large size Turkish bath tow-  
els. Regular 50c values. To be  
sold in this July Clearance  
Sale at

39c

Columbia Window Shades.  
Strictly first quality. 6 ft.  
long. Color, Dark Green. To be  
sold in the great Clearance  
Sale at

49c

Women's under-arm pocket  
books. In all the new shapes  
and designs. \$1.00 values.  
Clearance Sale price

88c

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Every dress in our stock is included in this great July Clear-  
ance Sale. Dresses of fine silks, crepes, and many other fine  
materials. All are made in the newest styles. Flares, straight  
lines, pleats and many new novel ways of trimming. In all  
colors. All sizes.

\$7.45 DRESSES

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\$4.69

\$9.90 DRESSES

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#### Genuine Broadcloth SHIRTS Regular \$1.25 Values

Genuine broadcloth shirts with collar attached—offered you in  
this great July Clearance Sale. They are  
neatly made of good quality broadcloth.  
In two colors, tan and white. All sizes.  
Come early, we have but a limited quan-  
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Your choice of any Misses'  
coat in opr store. During this  
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PRICE.

39c

Very pretty patterns table  
damask. Our regular 49c qual-  
ity. In this great Sale, it goes  
at, per yard

49c

Very fine grade table damask.  
Our regular 59c grade to be  
cleaned up in this sale at, per  
yard

19c

Khaki denim. Very good  
grade. Full width. Regular 29c  
value. Clearance Sale price,

220 Weight white-backed blue  
denim. Regular width. 35c  
grade on sale now at, per yard

29c

Feather Ticking that is guar-  
anteed feather-proof. Our regu-  
lar 45c brade. Clearance Sale  
price, per yard

39c

Columbia Window Shades  
Strictly first quality. 7 ft.  
long. Color, Dark Green. Out  
they go in this great Clear-  
ance Sale at

59c

Good quality 36 inch white  
outing. Regular 25c values.  
Clearance Sale price, per yard

17c



Women's crepe gowns in plain colors  
only. Regular 50c values. To clean up in  
this great Clearance Sale at

39c

Women's fancy figured crepe gowns or  
plain white lace trimmed muslin gowns.  
Regular \$1.00 values are reduced in this  
sale to

79c

New attractive patterns in boys percale  
blouses. Pretty stripes and small  
checks. Regular 50c values must go at

35c

Women's bungalow aprons in dark and  
light color percales or new novelty  
prints. Regular \$1.00 value. July  
Clearance Sale price

79c

A special lot of children's dress  
straw hats. Values to 75c. Clear-  
ance sale price

29c

10 yard bolts of Red Star Diaper  
Cloth. Regular \$2.25 value. Clear-  
ance Sale price, per 10 yards

\$1.59

Large flowered and small figured  
cretonnes. Regular 25c value.  
Clearance Sale price, per yard

17c

Fine new patterns of kimono  
crepe. Regular 35c values. Clear-  
ance sale price, per yard

25c

#### Another Winner BIG 6 OVERALLS

OR CHOICE OF JACKETS TO MATCH

Men! here's another hot one. BIG 6 OVERALL at a new low price.  
The quality is the best, none better. All are made of 220 weight den-  
im, triple stitched, heavy bar tacked, big and roomy and sized correct-  
ly. You'll want several pairs at this unheard of low price. Jackets  
to match at the same price.

\$1.12

#### BARGAINS!

Unbleached muslin. 39 inches wide.  
Regular 15c value. Clearance Sale  
price, per yard

9c

Everett Shirts. Many patterns  
to choose from. Regular 16c value.  
Clearance Sale price, per yard

13c

Unbleached muslin. Very good  
grade. Yard wide. Regular 12 1-2c  
value. Clearance Sale price, per  
yard

10c

Stevens all linen Toweling Crash.  
Regular 17c grade. Clearance Sale  
price, per yard

12 1-2c

Good grade toweling crash. Regular  
15c value. Clearance Sale price, per  
yard

10c

Straw ticking. Full width. Our regu-  
lar 17c grade. Clearance Sale  
price, per yard

14c

A special lot of extra good quality  
percales and gingham. Clearance  
Sale price, per yard

10c

A special lot of fine figured pat-  
terns and dotted dress voiles. Yard  
wide. 35c quality. Clearance Sale  
price, per yard

15c

A special lot of extra nice curtain  
scrim. Regular 25c quality. Clear-  
ance Sale price, per yard

12 1-2c

Boys' wash suits in both one and  
2 piece suits. Regular 98c values.  
Clearance Sale price

79c

Boys' washable suits in sizes to 8.  
Pretty materials, nicely made.  
Clearance Sale Price. Values to  
\$1.50.

\$1.29

Plain colors in underwear crepe.  
Regular 25c values. Clearance sale  
price, per yard

21c

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## MODERN BALL GAMES SURVIVAL OF RELIGIOUS RITUALS, SAID

LONDON, July 6.—Modern sport, particularly games played with a ball, are the survival of religious rituals, according to Professor G. Elliot Smith, professor of anatomy in the University of London.

"The particular forms games have assumed," he said, "are the result of historical circumstances. The earliest games that had any staying powers and have survived into modern times were not simply sports but the most serious and sacred occupations of primitive men. Like the drama, they formed part of religious ceremonies that aimed at life-giving."

Professor Smith said that ball games are as old as civilization and possibly as man himself. He attributed man's most distinctive attributes to his skill of hand and eye.

"The natural impulse of the human child to play with a stick and ball is prompted by an instinct as irresistible as that which impels the lion's kitten to acquire by play the skill that is so vital to its existence," he explained.

"The earliest European reference to games that were the ancestors of hockey and stoolball (cricket) are found in an Irish epic, probably written early in the seventh century. But many centuries earlier games akin to these were played in the East. In his description of London during the twelfth century, Fitzstephens says that at Shrovetide schoolboys devoted the morning to cockfights under the control of their masters, while in the afternoon all the young men of the city engaged in football, various schools and crafts opposing each other. In 1409 a proclamation was issued in London forbidding the levy of money for 'foteballe' and 'cockthresnyng' or cockfighting.

Tug-of-war was a type of ritual conflict to promote the welfare of the gods and the prosperity of the community that was observed more than thirty centuries ago in the East. At one time ball games used to be played in churches at Easter. They are supposed to represent survivals of the ritual drama performances and sacred games to promote abundant crops. The general prosperity of the whole community was believed to depend upon the results of these ritual contests. They were originally the sport of kings and success in play was regarded as a token of noble birth.

In London, however, as early as the beginning of the Middle Ages, they had already lost their mystical significance and had become no more than games for the whole community. In the sixteenth and seventeenth centuries stoolball was a common Easter game. School girls and boys played it for tany cakes and kisses. It was played, according to Aubrey, with a staff, commonly made of withy, about three and a half feet long, and a ball stuffed very hard with quills and covered with soale leather. Strutt describes it as a game more commonly known as roff or handy ball, or pownas of the Romans, who stuffed the ball with feathers. This is generally regarded as the earliest form of cricket.

"There is abundant evidence to prove that the ball games that we regard as mainly sports are the survivals, more or less modified in their rules and associations, of ceremonies that originally were devised for the welfare of the king, upon whom the prosperity of his kingdom was wholly dependent. The original ritual was primarily a dramatic representation of the conflict between the king's followers and his enemies to establish his dominion.

"It has been claimed by E. K. Chambers that the ball is nothing else than the head of the sacrificial animal, and that the game

is the endeavor of each player to get it into his possession, or, if sides are taken, to get it over a particular boundary.

"These serious religious objects were responsible for establishing the hold of games upon the interest of the people or rather gave them an excuse to practice and appreciate an skill and enterprise which appeal to the instinctive love of play inbred in all mankind.

"With the extension of Christianity the time arrived when these relics of pagan practices were frowned upon and discouraged, until eventually a wiser attitude obtained recognition and there emerged a true sport free from all religious restrictions, one that encourages the manly qualities and promotes friendly rivalry and good fellowship."

## PLAYS TO FEATURE CHAUTAUQUA HERE TO START THURSDAY

Headlining the Redpath Chautauqua program, opening in Xenia Thursday afternoon, are two effectively contrasted plays—one a serious drama, Channing Pollock's "The Fool," and the other a palatable comedy, in three acts, "Applesauce," written by Barry Connors.

Probably no play in the last two or three years has had the unique back ground and the high praise of critics as has "The Fool." The unconventional theme of the piece was unappreciated by producers for some time and its presentation met with astounding success. The play gets its title from the appellation of derision—the fool—which the world casts on the central figure in the play, a young minister in a New York church for his teachings. The play has been witnessed by more than five million people, and has been the subject of sermon and story.

To present "The Fool," the Chautauqua management is bringing to Xenia the largest play cast that has ever been used.

Quite in contrast to "The Fool" but as good in the realm of comedy as the former is in the realm of serious drama, is the bubbling comedy, "Applesauce." This play had a long run of 300 performances at the La Salle Theater, Chicago, and has been outside of New York and Chicago only since May. The play has a delightful light love theme and clever lines.

"The Fool" will be presented Friday evening and "Applesauce" next Tuesday evening. Both plays will be presented by casts brought directly from New York City.

The Chautauqua tent arrived late Tuesday afternoon and is being set up for the opening program Thursday afternoon, which will be offered by Harold Lewis and his Symphony Players, a group of New York musicians.

Mrs. Walter Dean, chairman of the ticket committee, asks all guarantors to turn in their money from ticket sales Wednesday or Thursday.

## ALDINE COMPANY TO PUBLISH BALLOTS

Contract for printing of 10,000 Republican, 4,000 Democratic and 14,000 state amendment ballots for the August 10 primary election in Greene County, was awarded to The Aldine Publishing Co. at a meeting of the board of elections Tuesday night.

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7-New York music.  
7:30-Saxophone octet.  
11:15-String quartet.  
Station WKRC:  
6-Orchestra.  
8-Book review.  
8:15-Orchestra.  
9-Quartet.  
12-Popular songs.  
12:30-Orchestra.  
Station WLW:  
7-Orchestra.  
7:30-Farmer's talk.  
7:40-Concert.  
8-Concert band.  
10-Orchestra.  
11-Elk synopses.

## CEDARVILLE

Miss Alice McCartney became the bride of Mr. Marvin Borst, athletic coach at Cedarville College next year. The wedding took place at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. McCartney, Park Place, Springfield, O., Wednesday at 1:30 p. m. The bride and groom left some time during the afternoon by motor for a trip East.

Rev. and Mrs. LeClerc Markle returned home last week after their honeymoon at the Lakes and spent a few days with the parents of Mrs. Markle, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. McCartney, Park Place, Springfield, O., Wednesday at 1:30 p. m. The bride and groom left some time during the afternoon by motor for a trip East.

Misses Ruth Burn, Eleanor Johnson and Lucile Ritenour left last week for Chautauqua, N. Y., where they will spend the summer.

Mr. Herbert Whittington, agent at the Pennsylvania station, with his family returned home last week after a trip to New Orleans, El Paso, Texas and Kansas City.

Mrs. W. L. Clemens was hostess to the members of the Wednesday afternoon Club last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. McMillan and little son have returned home from Cleveland where they have been visiting relatives.

Mrs. Leland Johnson and children, of Cincinnati, have been visiting with her grandmother, Mrs. Lucy McMillan for several days.

Mrs. Fred Dobbin and Mrs. Bert Turner have issued invitations to a large number of their lady friends to a reception given at the home of Mrs. Dobbin, Friday afternoon at 2 p. m. honoring their sister, Mrs. Raymond Bull, who is a recent bride.

The Hagar Straw Board and Paper Company will close down the plant just as soon as the steel arrives for the new roof that is to be put on. The roof will be of steel construction with the best materials for durability. Most of the employees will have employment during the time repairs are to be made.

John Davis left last Thursday for Kingman, O., where he enters upon his duties as Hughes-Smith instructor in the centralized school there.

Mrs. Harry Waddle and son, Merle, of Columbus, are visiting with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Tarbox.

Rev. W. W. Condon, of Urichville, O., was the recent guest of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Watt.

Prof. John A. Talcott will again head the department of music at Cedarville College this coming year. This will be Mr. Talcott's fourth year with the college. He will take the directorship of music at Antioch College next year.

Dr. W. R. McChesney gave a patriotic address Sunday afternoon at Piqua at a union meeting of the churches in that city. 20,000 people attended the open air meeting.

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Mrs. James Roberts visited with her sister, Mrs. Fannie Kemper and family, near Alpha, last week.

Miss Eloise Farquhar, of the M. E. Bible School, liked to the school lawn, south of town on the Jamestown-Bowersville Pike, on Wednesday afternoon, with her class of small girls, where they enjoyed a picnic supper and an outing on the green.

Mr. Hughes Moyer, of Canton, joined his family at the home of Attorney W. A. Paxson, on Saturday. They left via Springfield and Columbus, where they visited with relatives of Mr. Moyer.

Mrs. Helen, visited with relatives near Alpha, the first of the week.

Mr. Milton Cory had for his guests last week Mr. Philip Cadman, of Keystone Heights, Fla., Mr. Andre Odebercht, of Dennison University, a school friend of Mr. Cory.

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After a short business session the time was given to Miss Mary Ervin, of Xenia, for an address, who has recently returned from Europe, where she toured the countries of England, France, Holland and Italy. She spoke in her usual entertaining manner. Her subject was "The World's Peace, and The World's Prohibition." She vividly contrasted the conditions in those countries with those of our own America and very favorable to the United States. The Lackey home took on the air of the patriotic season, with flags and flowers, and was carried out in the refreshment. The napkins carried the colors, and each one was presented with a small flag. The Misses Eleanor, Elizabeth, Martha Lackey, and Miss Martha Dean, served the refreshment course. Forty five thus enjoyed the hospitality of the Lackey home.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Buckles and son Wayne, Dayton, were Sunday guests at the home of Mr. H. D. Buckles.

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Receipts, 5 cars; market, steady.  
Heavies, 200-275, \$14.45  
Medium, 130-200, \$14.65  
Extreme Heavies, \$14.20  
Sows, \$10@12  
Pigs, 140 lbs. down, \$12@14  
Stags, \$8@11

### CATTLE

Receipts, light; market, slow to steady.  
SHEEP  
Best fat steers, \$8.50@9.00  
Vaal calves, \$8@12  
Medium butcher steers, 7.00@8.00  
Medium butcher  
heifers, 6.00@7.00  
Best butcher heifers, 7.00@8.50  
Best fat cows, 5.00@6.50  
Bologna cows, 3.00@4.00  
Medium cows, 4.00@5.00  
Bulls, 5.00@5.50  
Spring Lambs, \$10@13  
Sheep, 2.00@5.00

### XENIA

(J. W. Faulkner)  
(Corrected Daily)  
Hogs—Heavies, \$14.00; medium

### CLEVELAND PRODUCE

POULTRY:  
Heavy fowls, 28c@29c.  
Leghorn fowls, 26c@27c.  
Leghorn broilers, 30c@32c.  
Heavy broilers, 40c@42c.  
Ducks 17c@18c.  
Young ducks, 30c@33c.  
Old ducks, 25c@28c.

### BOWERSVILLE IDLE DUE TO WET GROUNDS



## LEGISLATION FOR TRACTION COMPANY EXPECTED TO PASS

Unless an eleventh hour hitch occurs, a development that is expected, the ordinance now on its first reading, granting the Dayton, Springfield and Xenia Southern Railway Co., a twenty-year renewal of its city franchise, is scheduled for passage by City Commission on Thursday night.

The dispute between the city and traction people over the financial end of reconstructing the discarded city street car route was adjusted satisfactorily at a recent joint conference with Federal Judge Smith Hickenlooper in Dayton. The car company agreed to meet demands of the commission.

There is now no obstacle in the way of passage of the franchise measure Thursday. Ordinance will become effective in thirty days from date of passage and rebuilding of S. Detroit St., between the rails on the company's right-of-way will then begin. Paving work will probably be completed early this fall.

## POSTPONE QUOT CLUB OPENING

Formal opening of the Xenia Quoit Club grounds on E. Market St., has been postponed for two weeks in order to get the grounds in first class condition for the entertainment planned, according to an announcement Tuesday.

Date of the opening was originally tentatively set for Wednesday night, June 7. An entertaining opening is being outlined by officers of the club. A Dayton team will probably appear for a match and in addition the committee has arranged for a lawn fete and a band concert by the Greene County Community band.

## ANNOUNCE EXAM FOR POSTAL POSITION

United States Civil Service Commission announces an open competitive examination for the positions of clerk and carrier at the Xenia Postoffice will be held at the federal building this city, soon, the date to be announced later.

Final date of submitting applications is August 11, 1926.

Application blanks and further information on the examination may be had by addressing the local postoffice. Examination is open to both men and women.

## YELLOW SPRINGS

The Daily Vacation Bible School which has been in session in the Presbyterian Church for the past five weeks closed Friday with a special program and exhibition of the work that has been done during this time. Much credit is due Mrs. William Hardman, who was in charge of the school assisted by Sunday School workers from the Presbyterian and Methodist Churches.

A program of aesthetic dancing and pantomimes will be given Friday at 8:00 p. m., at the Yellow

Springs Opera House for the benefit of the public library. Miss Dorothy Hartnett, of Springfield, will have charge of the program assisted by local talent.

Camp Knolls of the Y. W. C. A. opened Wednesday for the summer. The camp is located on the Grinnell Road, about two miles from Yellow Springs. Several of the young girls from town are enjoying an outing at the camp.

Dr. and Mrs. L. R. Gibbs and children, Robert and Catherine, are spending the summer in Winthrop, Mass. During their absence Mr. and Mrs. Stewart L. Tatum, of Springfield, are occupying their home in the Lawn.

Dr. A. W. Vickers, of Madison, Georgia and his daughter, Mrs. H. P. Mallory and little son, Pierce, of Orlando, Florida, spent a few days the past week with Miss Irene Hawes. The trip was made by automobile. They left for their home Sunday.

Friends and relatives of Mrs. Joe Carper (nee Miss Zella Allen) met at her home Wednesday noon and served a covered dish dinner. After the dinner was over the guests presented Mrs. Carper with a number of beautiful and useful gifts. There were about thirty present.

Mr. and Mrs. Dana Grove and daughters, Misses Helen and Margaret, of Marlow, Alabama, who have been visiting Mrs. T. W. Neff left Tuesday for a trip through the East.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Reinwald and little son, of Springfield, spent the week-end with Mrs. Reinwald's aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Currie.

Miss Florence Pfaff, of Dayton, spent Sunday and Monday with the Misses Oster.

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## JUICE OF LEMON WHITENS THE SKIN

The only harmless way to bleach the skin is to mix the juice of two lemons with three ounces of Orchard White, which any druggist will supply for a few cents. Shake well in a bottle, and you have a whole quart of the most wonderful skin whitener, softener and beautifier. Massage this sweetly fragrant lemon bleach into the face, neck, arms and hands. It can not irritate, famous stage beauties use it to bring that clear, youthful skin and rosy-white complexion; also as a freckle, sunburn and tan bleach. You must mix this remarkable lotion yourself. It can not be bought ready to use because it acts best immediately after it is prepared.



# JOBES JULY CLEARANCE SALE

## Our 37th Annual Summer Clearance Sale

You will find Special Prices on our regular stock of merchandise. No goods bought especially for this Sale. Absolutely no Seconds or Irregulars. Same policy of satisfaction guarantee as usual. At these reduced prices all goods will be sold for cash—NO CHARGES.

No change in service, goods delivered, telephone orders sent C. O. D.

**Sale Starts Thursday Morning July 8th. at 8:15 and continues until 9 P. M. Saturday July 17th.**

### JULY SALE OF HOSIERY

65c Silk and Fibre Hose in all wanted shades .....49c  
\$1.00 Silk and Rayon-Puncture Proof—Our promise of full satisfaction or a new pair. Special .....89c  
\$1.50 Full Fashioned Pure Thread Silk—Wayne Knit No. 793 .....\$1.29  
\$2.00 Full Fashioned Pure Thread Silk—Wayne Knit No. 700 .....\$1.69  
\$2.50 No. 300 That Heavy Silk Full Fashioned Gordon Hose .....\$1.95

### CHIFFON SILK HOSE

\$1.50 Wayne Knit No. No. 798 Full Fashioned .....\$1.29  
\$2.00 Gordon No. 515 Full Fashioned .....\$1.69  
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### CHILDREN'S HOSE

Children's White Hose. Sizes 8 to 9 1-2. To clean up .....9c  
Children's Socks. Sizes 6 to 7 1-2. 35c values. 3 pair for .....85c  
Children's Socks. Half Price. 25c values. 2 pair for .....25c  
Fancy Shirred Ribbon Garters. July Special, pair .....39c

### SILK SCARFS REDUCED FOR JULY SALE

\$2.95 values. Special .....\$2.49  
\$3.95 values. Special .....\$3.29  
\$4.95 values. Special .....\$3.95

### CHINESE PARASOLS SHOWER PROOF

\$1.00 Children's Sizes .....89c  
\$1.50 Women's Sizes .....\$1.29  
Japanese Parasols—  
39c Children's Sizes .....33c  
65c Children's Sizes .....53c  
75c Women's Sizes .....69c  
\$1.00 Women's Sizes .....89c  
59c Crepe de Chine Handkerchiefs .....49c

### PURSE SPECIAL

One lot \$1.25 and \$1.95 values. Special .....95c

### TOOLED LEATHER GOODS AT 1-3 OFF

This lot consists of our entire stock of Men's Bill Folds, Key Cases, Women's Small Purses, Bobby Combs and Cases and about six Women's Hand Bags ranging in price from

**\$10. to \$22.50**

### WOMEN'S BEAD BAGS

Reduced in Price for July Sale—  
\$2.00 Values, Sale Price .....\$1.49  
\$4.95 Values, Sale Price .....\$3.95  
\$6.50 Values, Sale Price .....\$4.95

### NOTION SPECIALS

5c Hair Nets, dozen .....39c  
10c Hair Nets, dozen .....95c  
10c Palm Leaf Fans .....7c  
25c Woven Grass Fans .....19c  
10c Roll Toilet Paper, 7 rolls for .....50c  
25c Cando Silver Polish .....19c  
60c Mufti .....49c

### DELONG'S PINS—SAFETY PINS—SNAPS—HOOKS AND EYES OR HAIR PINS 10c VALUES

**7c.**

Mile End Mercerized Darning Cotton, 45 yd. Spool Black or Colors, 3 for .....10c

### BEDDING AND DRAPERY DEPARTMENT JULY SALE SPECIALS

**BED SPREADS**  
Cotton or Rayon—in the right sizes and colors. Rose, Blue, Gold, Lavender—  
\$1.95 Values, Stripe 81x90. Special .....\$1.49  
\$2.00 Values, Plain 63x90. Special .....\$1.79  
\$2.50 Values, Plain 81x90. Special .....\$2.25  
\$2.95 Values, Stripe 81x105. Special .....\$2.39  
\$3.50 Value, Stripe 81x108. Special .....\$2.95  
\$5.50 Values, Rayon 81x105. Special .....\$4.95  
\$10.95 Rayon Spread, 90x108. Special .....\$7.95

**BROWN SHEETING**  
Truth or Lockwood Quality—  
55c Grade, 2 yd. Wide. Special, yard .....47c  
60c Grade, 2 1-4 Wide. Special, yard .....53c  
65c Grade, 2 1-2 yd. Wide. Special, yard .....57c

**BLEACHED SHEETING**  
55c Truth 1 3-4 yds. Wide. Special, yd .....49c  
65c Truth, 2 yds. Wide. Special, yd .....57c  
70c Truth 2 1-4 yd. Wide. Special, yd .....63c  
75c Truth 2 1-2 yds. Wide. Special, yd .....67c  
70c Pequot, 2 yds. Wide. Special, yd .....63c  
75c Pacific, 2 1-4 yds. Wide. Special, yd .....67c  
80c Pacific, 2 1-2 yds. Wide. Special, yd .....73c  
\$1.25 Value, 81x90 Seamless Bleached Sheets .....95c

**FRUIT OF THE LOOM SHEETS AND PILLOW CASES—PLAIN HEMMED**  
40c Value, 42x36 in. Cases. Special .....35c  
50c Value, 45x36 in. Cases. Special .....45c  
\$1.50 Value, 63x90 in. Sheets. Special .....\$1.35  
\$1.75 Value, 81x90 in. Sheets. Special .....\$1.59  
\$2.00 Value, 81x90 in. Sheets. Special .....\$1.79

### Ready to Wear at July Sale Prices

25 Women's Silk Dresses, Plain and Printed. Sale Price .....\$5.00

Summer Silk Dresses, Plain and Printed Crepes. Values up to \$19.75. Sale Price .....\$8.95

Mid-Summer Dresses, Printed Crepes, Striped Crepe de Chines and Plain Wash Crepes. Wonderful Values at this price. ....\$12.75

Extra Special Broken Lot of Afternoon Dresses. All Over Beaded, Printed Chiffons, Flat Crepes and Rajahs. Values up to \$39.75. Sale Price .....\$14.75

Women's Regular and Stout Dresses. Sizes 38 to 46 and 16 to 44. Values up to \$45. Sale Price .....\$24.75

One Group of Dresses Regular and Stout. Dressy Afternoon and Street Dresses, Light and Dark Colors. Values to \$29.75. Sale Price .....\$19.75

Women's Summer Dresses of Printed Voiles. Values to \$4.95. Sale Price .....\$3.95

Women's Cotton Voile Dresses. Values up to \$3.95. Sale Price .....\$2.95

One lot of Porch Dresses. Values up to \$2.95. Sale Price .....\$1.00

### WOMEN'S COATS

Women's Spring Coats. Novelties, Mixtures and Plain. Sale Price .....\$5.00

One group of Plaid and Novelty Mixtures. These coats sold up to \$19.75. Sale Price .....\$10.00

One group of Sport and Dress Coats. Values up to \$39.75. Sale Price .....\$14.75

One lot of Dress Coats. Values up to \$75.00. Sale Price .....\$25.00

Extra Size Stout Coats. Plain Twill Coats. Values up to \$25.00. Sale Price .....\$14.75

One Lot of Stout Coats. Values up to \$39.75. Sale Price .....\$19.75

One Group of Fine Twill Coats. Values up to \$49.75. Sale Price .....\$25.00

Misses' Novelty Tweed Suits. To Close out at .....\$10.00

### CHILDREN'S SPRING COATS AT

\$19.75 Coats to go for .....\$9.88  
\$15.00 Coats to go for .....\$7.50  
\$10.00 Coats to go for .....\$5.00  
\$8.50 Coats to go for .....\$4.25

### One Table Of Odds and Ends

Values up to \$10.00  
Consisting of Infants' White Coats and Capes. Long or Short, Children's White Dresses. Size 8 to 12. Children's Khaki Play and Middy Suits, White Silk Petticoats, Girls' Sweaters, Bungalow Aprons, Rain Capes, Children's Dresses. Size 7 to 14. Women's Kimonos, Women's Smocks and Child Voile Dresses. Sizes 2 to 6. Your choice while they last

**\$1.00**

### JULY SALE OF FURS

Stone Martin and Natural for Scarfs. Values to \$35.00. Sale Price .....\$25.00

Natural Squirrel or Fitch Scarfs. \$15.00 values for .....\$10.00

Natural Squirrel Scarfs. \$10.00 values for .....\$7.95

Stone Martin Opossum \$7.95 values for .....\$5.00

### JULY SALE OF MILLINERY

One group of fine hats in black and colors. Values up to \$10.00. Sale Price .....\$3.95

One Group of Hats in Felts and Straws. Values up to \$7.50. Sale Price .....\$1.95

Our entire stock of fine flowers at

### HALF PRICE

One lot of Soiled Baby Caps. Values up to \$2.00. Sale Price .....25c

### DRESS GOODS SPECIALS

85c 12 MME. Pongee. Special, yd. ....69c  
\$1.25 14 MME. Pongee. Special yd. ....95c  
\$1.50 16 MME. Pongee. Special, yd. ....\$1.29

### EXTRA SPECIAL

Final Clearance of Printed Silks. Values up to \$3.50 in Crepe de Chines, Flat Crepes, Radiums and Georgettes—Sale Price

**\$1.49**

\$2.00 Plain Georgettes. Sale Price .....\$1.69  
\$2.50 Washable Crepe de Chine. Sale Price .....\$2.19  
\$2.00 Plain Georgettes. Sale Price .....\$1.69  
\$1.79 Striped Tub Silks. Sale Price .....\$1.49  
85c Rayon Rajah Silk. Sale Price .....69c  
95c and \$1.00 Royalpacas Plain and Fancy .....69c

### HOUSEHOLD LINENS AND TOWELS

\$1.00 Merc. Table Damask, 72 in. ....89c  
75c Merc. Table Damask. 64 in. ....69c  
\$2.00 Pure Linen Bleached, 70 in. ....\$1.49  
\$5.50 Napkins to Match, 20 in. Dozen .....\$4.00  
29c Colored Border Huck Towels .....23c  
35c Colored Border Huck Towels .....29c  
59c Hemstitched Linen, Huck Towels .....49c  
29c Turkish Towels .....23c  
39c Turkish Towels .....33c  
49c Turkish Towels .....43c  
59c Turkish Towels .....49c  
69c Turkish Towels .....63c

### WASH GOODS

\$1.00 ad \$1.25 Silk and Cotton Crepes .....79c  
50c Voiles in New Summer Patterns .....39c  
69c Cotton Charmeuse Prints .....59c  
\$1.00 Plain Linen Suitings .....89c  
25c Jap Crepes—Plain .....19c  
40c Plain Voiles .....29c  
65c Plain Voiles .....59c  
50c Dainty Prints .....39c  
79c Shirting Stripes .....59c  
Lingerie Cloths .....39c  
50c Blue Bird Mull in colors .....39c  
39c Jersey Voile in Colors .....29c  
50c Plisse Crepe 36 in. in colors .....39c  
22 1-2c Percales, Light or Dark .....19c  
25c Percales, Light Prints .....22c  
27 1-2c Percales, Light or Dark .....25c  
29c Ladlassie Cloth .....25c  
20c Everett Cheviot Shirting .....17c  
25c Gingham. Plain or Plaids .....19c  
35c Gingham. Plain or Plaids .....29c  
30c Imperial Chambrays .....26c

English Prints, 45c to 50c Values. Good patterns in guaranteed colors. Special

**39c.**

### JULY SALE OF DOMESTICS COTTONS

17 1-2c Bleached Muslin .....15c  
20c Bleached Muslin .....17c  
25c Bleached Muslin .....21c  
35c Blue Bird Mull .....29c  
40c Blue Bird Mull .....33c  
17 1-2c Unbleached Muslin .....15c  
20c Unbleached Muslin .....17c

### CRASH TOWELING

50c Bleached Linen .....39c  
40c Bleached Linen .....33c  
35c Bleached Linen .....29c  
27 1-2c Bleached Linen .....23c  
25c Absorbent Cotton Toweling .....19c  
50c Feather Ticking .....39c  
22 1-2c Straw Ticking .....19c

10 yd. Roll of Soft Polishing Cloth for Auto, Office or Home Use—Special

**65c.**

35c Charm Sanitary Napkins, dozen .....29c  
60c Kotex Sanitary Napkins, dozen .....49c

\$1.95 Silk Bloomers. Special .....\$1.69  
\$1.00 Vests. Special .....89c

### TRUNKS AND LUGGAGE

Buy now for that vacation trip and save money.  
\$40.00 Hartman Wardrobe Trunk. Sale Price .....\$32.50  
\$45.00 Hartman Wardrobe Trunk. Sale Price .....\$37.50  
\$55.00 Hartman Wardrobe Trunk. Sale Price .....\$45.00  
\$35.00 Bal. Co. Wardrobe Trunk. Sale Price .....\$29.50  
18 in. Black Enameled Hat Box. Special .....\$4.39  
18 in. Traveling Bag, good and roomy pockets inside, made of genuine Cowhide in Black or Brown. Very Special at .....\$12.95  
20 in. Black Overnight Case. Sale Price .....\$5.75  
22 in. Black Overnight Case. Sale Price .....\$5.95

### TOILET GOODS BARGAINS

65c Large Jar Bath Salts. Special .....39c  
45c Jergens Lotion. Special .....39c  
30c Kolynos Tooth Paste .....23c  
50c Ipana, Pebecco, or Pepsodent Tooth Paste .....39c  
25c Woodbury Soap, 23c each or 3 for .....59c  
25c Mavis Talcum. Special .....19c  
50c Mavis Talcum. Special .....39c  
20c Pure Castile Soap, 17c each or 3 for .....49c  
10c Bath Soaps, 3 for .....23c  
35c Kleenex .....29c  
65c Kleenex .....49c

## July Clearance Sale Of Pillow Cases & Sheets

### HEM STITCHED

50c Value, 42x36 in. Cases. Special .....45c  
60c Value, 42x36 in. Cases. Special .....55c  
\$1.75 Value, 63x90 in. Sheets. Special .....\$1.59  
\$2.00 Value, 81x90 in. Sheets. Special .....\$1.79  
\$2.25 Value, 81x99 in. Sheets. Special .....\$1.95  
40c Value, 42x36 in. Belhaven P. H. Cases. Special .....33c  
50c Value, 42x36 in. Belhaven H. S. Cases. Special .....39c  
25c Value, 42x36 in. Bleached Cases. Special, 2 for .....43c  
25c Value, 42x36 in. Unbleached Cases. Special, 2 for .....43c  
36 or 40 in. Tubing. Special .....33c  
42 or 45 in. Tubing. Special .....39c  
\$1.25 Porch Pillows. Cretonne Covered .....95c  
59c Porch Pillows, Cretonne Covered .....49c

## Shoe Department

### JULY SALE OF SUMMER FOOT WEAR

Positively no exchanges or approvals. About 350 pair of the season's best styles, of course the sizes are badly broken, but your size may be here. They are worth trying for at this price.

**\$3.95**

This lot is as follows: 30 pairs of tans, values up to \$7.50. The styles are one strap pumps, two strap pumps, eden ties and a few oxfords.

The remaining broken lots will go on sale at \$4.95 regardless of their former price. This lot consists of Patent One Straps, Patent Two Straps, Patent Pumps, Satin Pumps in High and Low Heels, and all of our Blonde and Gray Kid Pumps and One Straps. In fact, you can almost take your choice of any shoe in our entire stock with the exception of a few staple numbers at

**\$4.95**

A number of Children's and Misses' Shoes on tables at less than cost.

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